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(54) ANTIBODY MOLECULES TO ONCOGENIC ISOFORMS OF FIBROBLAST GROWTH

FACTOR RECEPTOR-2 AND USES THEREOF

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(57) ABSTRACT

Antibody molecules that specifically bind to one or more isoforms expressed and/or associated with oncogenic phenotypes in a hyperproliferative cell (e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell) are disclosed. The isoform-binding antibody molecules can be used to treat, prevent and/or diagnose cancerous conditions and/or disorders. Methods of using the isoform-binding molecules to selectively detect oncogenic isoforms, to reduce the activity and/or induce the killing of a hyperproliferative cell expressing an oncogenic isoform in vitro, ex vivo or in vivo are also disclosed. Diagnostic and/or screening methods and kits for evaluating the function or expression of an oncogenic isoform are also disclosed.

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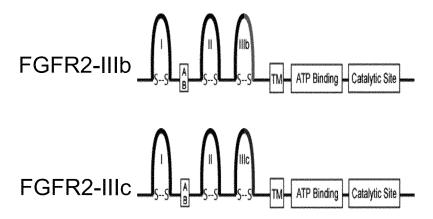


FIG. 1

FIG. 2

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FIG. 3A

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FIG. 3B

tacgggcccgacggctgccctacctcaaggttctcaaggccgccggtgttaacaccacg gacaaagagattgaggttctctatattcggaatgtaacttttgaggacgctggggaatat Acgtgcttggcgggtaattctattgggatatcctttcactctgcatggttgacagttctg (SEQ ID NO: 1)

FIG. 4A

FIG. 4B

IIIc-314:

A A G V N T T D K E I gee gee ggt gtt aac aec aeg gae aaa gag att

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(314 – 324) (SEQ ID NO: 4) (SEQ ID NO: 3)

FIG. 5A

IIIc-328 Y I R N V T F E D A (328 – 337) (SEQ ID NO: 6)

(SEQ ID NO: 5) tat att egg aat gta act ttt gag gae get

FIG. 5B

IIIc-350 I S F H (350 – 353) (SEQ ID NO: 8) ata tee ttt cae (SEQ ID NO: 7)

FIG. 5C

FGFR2IIIb (Loop3-C') fragment: amino acids 314 -351

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HSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQ (SEQ ID NO: 56)

CACTCGGGGATAAATAGTTCCAATGCAGAAGTGCTGGCTCTGTTCAAT GTGACCGAGGCGGATGCTGGGGAATATATATGTAAGGTCTCCAATTA TATAGGGCAGGCCAACCAG (SEQ ID NO: 60)

FIG. 6A

FGFR2IIIb Epitope: amino acids 314-328

HSGINSSNAEVLALF (SEQ ID NO: 57)

CACTCGGGGATAAATAGTTCCAATGCAGAAGTGCTGGCTCTGTTC (SEQ ID NO: 61)

FIG. 6B

FGFR2IIIb Epitope: amino acids 340-351

CKVSNYIGQANQ (SEQ ID NO: 58)

TGTAAGGTCTCCAATTATATAGGGCAGGCCAACCAG (SEQ ID NO: 62)

FIG. 6C

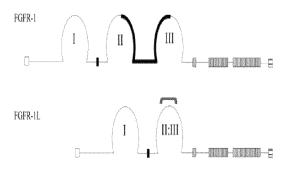


FIG. 7

AAT GGC AAA GAA TTC AAA CCT GAC CAC AGA ATT GGA GGC TAC AAG N G K E F K P D H R I G G Y K $//ACT GCT GGA GTT AAT ACC ACC GAC AAA GAG ATG GAG GTG CTT CAC (SEQ ID NO: 9) \\ // T A G V N T T D K E M E V L H (SEQ ID NO: 10)$

FIG. 8

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Cot ggo too tgg caa cag gao cac tgo coa cot aag ott act gag // Gag coa
 PGSWQQDHCPPKLTE//EP
gtg ctg ata gca gtg caa ccc ctc ttt ggc cca cgg gca (SEQ ID NO: 11)
V L I A V Q P L F G P R A (SEQ ID NO: 12)
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FIG. 9

Atg atg tgc att att gtg Atg att ctg acc tac aaa tat tta cag // gtt gtt M M C I I V M I L T Y K Y L Q // V V Gag gag ata aat gga aac aat tat gtt tac ata gac cca \qquad (SEQ ID NO: 13) E E I N G N N Y V Y I D P (SEQ ID NO: 14)

FIG. 10

tgc gcg acc aca agc ctg aat ccg gat tat cgg gaa gag gac acg //gat gtg agg (SEQ ID NO: 15) C A T T S L N P D Y R E E D T// D V R (SEQ ID NO: 16)

FIG. 11

Ctcactgagatcaccactgatgtggaaaagattcaggaaataagg//aataatgaaact LTEITTDVEKIQEIR NNET Tcctggactattttggccaacaatgtctcaaac (SEQ ID NO: 17) S W T I L A N N V S N (SEQ ID NO: 18)

FIG. 12

FGFR2 beta-ECD (262 aa)	RS	hIgG 1-Fc (227 aa)

FIG. 13A

ATGGTCAGCTGGGGTCGTTTCATCTGCCTGGTCGTGGTCACCATGGCAACCTTGTCCCTGGCCCGGCCCT CCTTCAGTTTAGTTGAGGATACCACATTAGAGCCAGAAGGAGCACCATACTGGACCAACACAGAAAAGAT GGAAAAGCGGCTCCATGCTGTGCCTGCGGCCAACACTGTCAAGTTTCGCTGCCCAGCCGGGGGGAACCCA ATGCCAACCATGCGGTGGCTGAAAAACGGGAAGGAGTTTAAGCAGGAGCATCGCATTGGAGGCTACAAGG TACGAAACCAGCACTGGAGCCTCATTATGGAAAGTGTGGTCCCATCTGACAAGGGAAATTATACCTGTGT GGTGGAGAATGAATACGGGTCCATCAATCACACGTACCACCTGGATGTTGTGGAGCGATCGCCTCACCGG CCCATCCTCCAAGCCGGACTGCCGGCAAATGCCTCCACAGTGGTCGGAGGAGACGTAGAGTTTGTCTGCA AGGTTTACAGTGATGCCCAGCCCCACATCCAGTGGATCAAGCACGTGGAAAAGAACGGCAGTAAATACGG GCCCGACGGCCTGCCCTACCTCAAGGTTCTCAAGGCCGCCGGTGTTAACACCCACGGACAAAGAGATTGAG GTTCTCTATATTCGGAATGTAACTTTTGAGGACGCTGGGGAATATACGTGCTTGGCGGGTAATTCTATTG GGATATCCTTTCACTCTGCATGGTTGACAGTTCTGCCAGCGCCTGGAAGAGAAAAGGAGATTACAGCTTC CCCAGACTACCTGGAGAGATCTGACAAAACTCACACATGCCCACCGTGCCCAGCACCTGAACTCCTGGGG GGACCGTCAGTCTTCCTCTTCCCCCCAAAACCCAAGGACACCCTCTACATCACCCGGGAACCTGAGGTCA CATGCGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCTGAGGTCAAGTTCAACTGGTACGTGGACGGCGTGGA GGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCGCGGGAGGAGCAGTACAACAGCACGTACCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTC ACCGTCCTGCACCAGGACTGGCTGAATGGCAAGGGTTACAAGTGCAAGGTCTCCAACAAAGCCCTCCCAG CCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAGCCAAAGGGGCGCCCGAGAACCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCC ATCGCCGTGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACTACAAGACCACGCCTCCCGTGCTGGACT CCGACGGCTCCTTCTTCCTCTACAGCAAGCTCACCGTGGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTT AAATGA (SEQ ID NO: 54)

FIG. 13B

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEGAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCPAGGNP MPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSINHTYHLDVVERSPHR PILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSKYGPDGLPYLKVLKAAGVNTTDKEIE VLYIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFHSAWLTVLPAPGREKEITASPDYLERSDKTHTCPPCPAPELLG GPSVFLFPPKPKDTLYITREPEVTCVVVDVSHEDPEVKFNWYVDGVEVHNAKTKPREEQYNSTYRVVSVL TVLHQDWLNGKEYKCKVSNKALPAPIEKTISKAKGQPREPQVYTLPPSREEMTKNQVSLTCLVKGFYPSD IAVEWESNGQPENNYKTTPPVLDSDGSFFLYSKLTVDKSRWQQGNVFSCSVMHEALKFHYTQKSLSLSPG K (SEQ ID NO: 55)

FIG. 13C

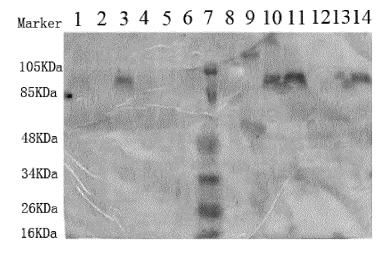


FIG. 13D

FGFR2c Beta-ECD Binding to Ligand FGF8b

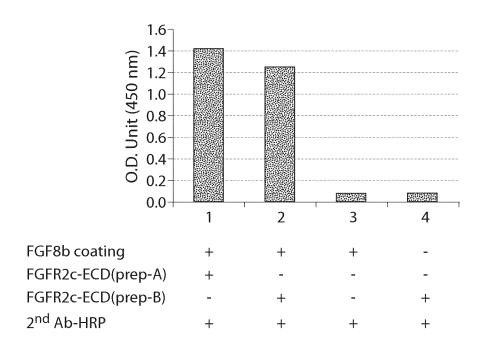


FIG. 13E

Atto-MuMab-03 Inhibit FGFR2IIIc Receptor Binding to Ligand

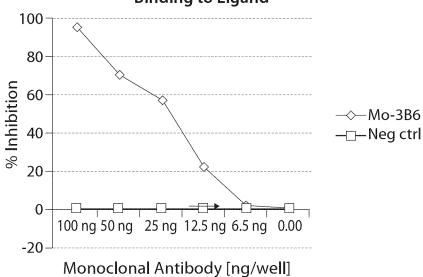


FIG. 13F

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IIID:

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Rat

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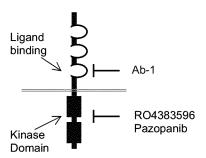


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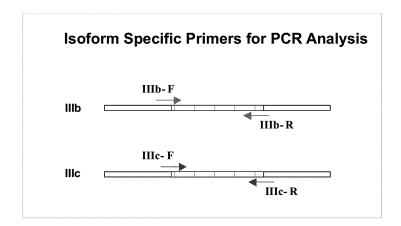


FIG. 16

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FIG. 17A

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFFPRD KLTLGKPLGGGGGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEEYLDLSQPLEQY SPSYPDTRSSCSSGDDSVFSPDPMPYEPCLPQYPHINGSVKT (SEQ ID NO: 21)

FIG. 17B

ATGGTCAGCTGGGGTCGTTTCATCTGCCTGGTCGTGGTCACCATGGCAACCTTGTCCCTGGCCCGGCCCTCCTTCA GGCTGCGCCAGGGGAGTCGCTAGAGGTGCGCTGCTGTTGAAAGATGCCGCCGTGATCAGTTGGACTAAGGATGGG GTGCACTTGGGGCCCAACAATAGGACAGTGCTTATTGGGGAGTACTTGCAGATAAAGGGCGCCCACGCCTAGAGACT $\tt CCGGCCTCTATGCTTGTACTGCCAGTAGGACTGTAGACAGTGAAACTTGGTACTTCATGGTGAATGTCACAGATGC$ CATCTCATCCGGAGATGATGAGGATGACACCGATGGTGCGGAAGATTTTGTCAGTGAGAACAGTAACAACAAGAGA GCACCATACTGGACCAACACAGAAAAGATGGAAAAGCGGCTCCATGCTGTGCCTGCGGCCAACACTGTCAAGTTTC GCTGCCCAGCCGGGGGGAACCCAATGCCAACCATGCGGTGGCTGAAAAACGGGAAGGAGTTTAAGCAGGAGCATCG CATTGGAGGCTACAAGGTACGAAACCAGCACTGGAGCCTCATTATGGAAAGTGTGGTCCCATCTGACAAGGGAAAT ${\tt ACCGGCCCATCCTCCAAGCCGGAACTGCCGGCAAATGCCTCCACAGTGGTCGGAGGAGACGTAGAGTTTGTCTGCAA}$ GGTTTACAGTGATGCCCAGCCCCACATCCAGTGGATCAAGCACGTGGAAAAGAACGGCAGTAAATACGGGCCCGAC GGGCTGCCCTAACGTTCTCAAGCACTCGGGGATAAATAGTTCCAATGCAGAAGTGCTGGCTCTGTTCAATG TGACCGAGGCGGATGCTGGGGAATATATATGTAAGGTCTCCAATTATATATGGGCAGGCCAACCAGTCTGCCTGGCT ATTTACTGCATAGGGGTCTTCTTAATCGCCTGTATGGTGGTAACAGTCATCCTGTGCCGAATGAAGAACACGACCA AGAAGCCAGACTTCAGCAGCCAGCCGGCTGTGCACAAGCTGACCAAACGTATCCCCCTGCGGAGACAGGTAACAGT ${\tt TTCGGCTGAGTCCAGGTCCATGAACTCCAACACCCCGCTGGTGAGGATAACAACACGCCTCTCTCAACGGCA}$ GACACCCCCATGCTGGCAGGGGTCTCCGAGTATGAACTTCCAGAGGACCCCAAAATGGGAGTTTCCAAGAGATAAGC TGACACTGGGCAAGCCCCTGGGAGAAGGTTGCTTTGGGCAAGTGGTCATGGCGAAGCACTGGGAATTGACAAAGA CAAGCCCAAGGAGGCGGTCACCGTGGCCGTGAAGATGTTGAAAGATGATGCCACAGAGAAAGACCTTTCTGATCTG GTGTCAGAGATGGAGATGATGAAGATTGGGAAACACAAGAATATCATAAATCTTCTTGGAGCCTGCACACAGG ATGGGCCTCTCTATGTCATAGTTGAGTATGCCTCTAAAGGCAACCTCCGAGAATACCTCCGAGCCCGGAGGCCACC CGGGATGGAGTACTCCTATGACATTAACCGTGTTCCTGAGGAGCAGATGACCTTCAAGGACTTGGTGTCATGCACC TACCAGCTGGCCAGAGGCATGGAGTACTTGGCTTCCCAAAAATGTATTCATCGAGATTTAGCAGCCAGAAATGTTT TGGTAACAGAAACAATGTGATGAAAATAGCAGACTTTGGACTCGCCAGAGATATCAACAATATAGACTATTACAA AAAGACCACCAATGGGCGGCTTCCAGTCAAGTGGATGGCTCCAGAAGCCCTGTTTGATAGAGTATACACTCATCAG AGTGATGTCTGGTCCTTCGGGGTGTTAATGTGGGAGATCTTCACTTTAGGGGGCTCGCCCTACCCAGGGATTCCCG GATGATGAGGGACTGTTGGCATGCAGTGCCCTCCCAGAGACCAACGTTCAAGCAGTTGGTAGAAGACTTGGATCGA ATTCTCACTCTCACAACCAATGAGGAATACTTGGACCTCAGCCAACCTCTCGAACAGTATTCACCTAGTTACCCTG ${\tt ACACAAGAAGTTCTTGTTCTTCAGGAGATGATTCTGTTTTTTCTCCAGACCCCATGCCTTACGAACCATGCCTTCC}$ TCAGTATCCACACATAAACGGCAGTGTTAAAACATGA (SEQ ID NO: 63)

FIG. 17C

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSN NKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCPAGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKV RNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSINHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTV VGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSKYGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFN VTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPKQQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLI ACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLTKRIPLRRQVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTR LSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRDKLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKE AVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMKMIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKG NLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMTFKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAAR NVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKKTTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFG VLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEGHRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTF KQLVEDLDRIPPNPSLMSIFRK (SEQ ID NO: 22)

FIG. 17D

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNERYKLLPCPDKHN KRCKPEERGDLTEAGAAGSSRCVDSRKRVRQEKISTG (SEQ ID NO: 23)

FIG. 17E

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNERILTLTTNENFQ STSGREGTEIHALQCLRSEVTPAISCESPLADTGSKVPN (SEQ ID NO: 24)

FIG. 17F

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNESFQSSLKSSSTG IPGWPPGSEVFSEVAFRGILNYDIERPILCAGSKKIYDI (SEQ ID NO: 25)

FIG. 17G

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV ${ t RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF}$ MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP ${\tt AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI}$ NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEOMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG ${\tt HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEGRLPAWASQEKE}$ NSQTSLFAISHVTLSSISKTRSSAKRDEKPGSSPHLALVRSQGLPQSVVP (SEQ ID NO: 26)

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FIG. 17H

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK ${\tt MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT}$ FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEPLS (SEQ ID NO: 27)

FIG. 171

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF ${\tt MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP}$ AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK $ext{MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT}$ FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNE (SEQ ID NO: 28)

FIG. 17.1

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVGSQGL (SEQ ID NO: 29)

FIG. 17K

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEF PRDKLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEME MMKMIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEE QMTFKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDY YKKTTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLL KEGHRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEEYLDLSQPL EQYSPSYPDTRSSCSSGDDSVFSPDPMPYEPCLPQYPHINGSVKT (SEQ ID NO: 30)

FIG. 17L

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVTVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRD KLTLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMK MIGKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMT FKDLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKK TTNGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEG HRMDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEI

FIG. 17M

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MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV ${\tt RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF}$ ${\tt MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP}$ AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQSAWLTVLPK QQAPGREKEITASPDYLEIAIYCIGVFLIACMVVTVILCRMKNTTKKPDFSSQPAVHKLT KRIPLRRQVSAESSSSMNSNTPLVRITTRLSSTADTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPKWEFPRDKL TLGKPLGEGCFGQVVMAEAVGIDKDKPKEAVTVAVKMLKDDATEKDLSDLVSEMEMMKMI ${\tt GKHKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLRARRPPGMEYSYDINRVPEEQMTFK}$ DLVSCTYQLARGMEYLASQKCIHRDLAARNVLVTENNVMKIADFGLARDINNIDYYKKTT NGRLPVKWMAPEALFDRVYTHQSDVWSFGVLMWEIFTLGGSPYPGIPVEELFKLLKEGHR MDKPANCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRILTLTTNEEYLDLSQPLEQYSP SYPDTRSSCSSGDDSVFSPDPMPYEPCLPQYPHINGSVKT (SEQ ID NO: 52)

FIG. 17N

MVSWGRFICLVVVTMATLSLARPSFSLVEDTTLEPEEPPTKYQISQPEVYVAAPGESLEV RCLLKDAAVISWTKDGVHLGPNNRTVLIGEYLQIKGATPRDSGLYACTASRTVDSETWYF ${\tt MVNVTDAISSGDDEDDTDGAEDFVSENSNNKRAPYWTNTEKMEKRLHAVPAANTVKFRCP}$ AGGNPMPTMRWLKNGKEFKQEHRIGGYKVRNQHWSLIMESVVPSDKGNYTCVVENEYGSI $\verb| NHTYHLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANASTVVGGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWIKHVEKNGSK| \\$ YGPDGLPYLKVLKHSGINSSNAEVLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANOSAWLTVLPK QQGRRC (SEQ ID NO: 53)

FIG. 170

1	mwswkcllfw	avlvtatlct	arpsptlpeq	aqpwgapvev	esflvhpgdl	lqlrcrlrdd
61	vqsinwlrdg	vqlaesnrtr	itgeevevgd	svpadsglya	cytsspsgsd	ttvfsvnvsd
121	alpssedddd	dddssseeke	tdntkpnrmp	vapywtspek	mekklhavpa	aktvkfkcps
181	sgtpnptlrw	lkngkefkpd	hriggykvry	atwsiimdsv	vpsdkgnytc	ivenevasin
241	htyqldvver	sphrpilqag	lpanktvalg	snvefmckvy	sdpaphiawl	khievnaski
301	gpdnlpyvqi	lktagvnttd	kemevlhlrn	vsfedagevt	clagnsigls	hhsawltvle
361	aleerpavmt	splyleiiiy	ctgafliscm	vqsvivykmk	satkksdfhs	omavhklaks
421	iplrrqvtvs	adssasmnsg	vllvrpsrls	ssqtpmlaqv	sevelpedpr	welprdrlvl
481	gkplgegcfg	qvvlaeaigl	dkdkpnrvtk	vavkmlksda	tekdlsdlis	ememmkmiak
541	hkniinllga	ctqdgplyvi	veyaskgnlr	eylgarrppg	levcynpshn	peeglsskdl
601	vscayqvarg	meylaskkci	hrdlaarnvl	vtednvmkia	dfglardihh	idvvkkttna
661	rlpvkwmape	alfdriythq	sdvwsfgvll	weiftlggsp	ypgvpveelf	kllkeghrmd
721	kpsnctnely	mmmrdcwhav	psqrptfkql	vedldrival	tsngevldls	mpldavspsf
781	pdtrsstcss	gedsvfshep	lpeepclprh	paglangglk	rr (SEQ ID	NO: 33)

FIG. 18A

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQAQPWGAPVEVESFLVHPGDLLQLRCRLRDD VQSINWLRDGVQLAESNRTRITGEEVEVQDSVPADSGLYACVTSSPSGSDTTYFSVNVSD ALPSSEDDDDDDDSSSEEKETDNTKPNRMPVAPYWTSPEKMEKKLHAVPAAKTVKFKCPS SGTPNPTLRWLKNGKEFKPDHRIGGYKVRYATWSIIMDSVVPSDKGNYTCIVENEYGSIN HTYQLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANKTVALGSNVEFMCKVYSDPQPHIQWLKHIEVNGSKI GPDNLPYVQILKTAGVNTTDKEMEVLHLRNVSFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGLSHHSAWLTVLE ALEERPAVMTSPLYLEIIIYCTGAFLISCMVGSVIVYKMKSGTKKSDFHSQMAVHKLAKS IPLRRQVTVSADSSASMNSGVLLVRPSRLSSSGTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPRWELPRDRLVL GKPLGEGCFGQVVLAEAIGLDKDKPNRVTKVAVKMLKSDATEKDLSDLISEMEMMKMIGK HKNIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLQARRPPGLEYCYNPSHNPEEQLSSKDL VSCAYQVARGMEYLASKKCIHRDLAARNVLVTEDNVMKIADFGLARDIHHIDYYKKTTNG RLPVKWMAPEALFDRIYTHQSDVWSFGVLLWEIFTLGGSFYPGVPVEELFKLLKEGHRMD KPSNCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRIVALTSNQEYLDLSMPLDQYSPSF PDTRSSTCSSGEDSVFSHEPLPEEPCLPRHPAQLANGGLKRR (SEQ ID NO: 38)

FIG. 18B

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQAQPWGAPVEVESFLVHPGDLLQLRCRLRDD VQSINWLRDGVQLAESNRTRITGEEVEVQDSVPADSGLYACVTSSPSGSDTTYFSVNVSD ALPSSEDDDDDDDSSSEEKETDNTKPNRMPVAPYWTSPEKMEKKLHAVPAAKTVKFKCPS SGTPNPTLRWLKNGKEFKPDHRIGGYKVRYATWSIIMDSVVPSDKGNYTCIVENEYGSIN HTYQLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANKTVALGSNVEFMCKVYSDPQPHIQWLKHIEVNGSKI GPDNLPYVQILKTAGVNTTDKEMEVLHLRNVSFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGLSHHSAWLTVLE ALEERPAVMTSPLYLEIIIYCTGAFLISCMVGSVIVYKMKSGTKKSDFHSQMAVHKLAKS IPLRRQVSADSSASMNSGVLLVRPSRLSSSGTPMLAGVSEYELPPEDPRWELPRDRLVLGK PLGEGCFGQVVLAEAIGLDKDKPNRVTKVAVKMLKSDATEKDLSDLISEMEMMKMIGKHK NIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLQARRPPGLEYCYNPSHNPEEQLSSKDLVS CAYQVARGMEYLASKKCIHRDLAARNVLVTEDNVMKIADFGLARDIHHIDYYKKTTNGRL PVKWMAPEALFDRIYTHQSDVWSFGVLLWEIFTLGGSFYPGVPVEELFKLLKEGHRMDKP SNCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRIVALTSNQEYLDLSMPLDQYSPSFPD TRSSTCSSGEDSVFSHEPLPEEPCLPRHPAQLANGGLKRR (SEQ ID NO: 39)

FIG. 18C

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQAQPWGAPVEVESFLVHPGDLLQLRCRLRDD VQSINWLRDGVQLAESNRTRITGEEVEVQDSVPADSGLYACVTSSPSGSDTTYFSVNVSD ALPSSEDDDDDDDSSSEEKETDNTKPNPVAPYWTSPEKMEKKLHAVPAAKTVKFKCPSSG TPNPTLRWLKNGKEFKPDHRIGGYKVRYATWSIIMDSVVPSDKGNYTCIVENEYGSINHT YQLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANKTVALGSNVEFMCKVYSDPQPHIQWLKHIEVNGSKIGP DNLPYVQILKTAGVNTTDKEMEVLHLRNVSFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGLSHHSAWLTVLEAL EERPAVMTSPLYLEIIIYCTGAFLISCMVGSVIVYKMKSGTKKSDFHSQMAVHKLAKSIP LRRQVTVSADSSASMNSGVLLVRPSRLSSSGTPMLAGVSEYELPEDPRWELPRDRLVLGK PLGEGCFGQVVLAEAIGLDKDKPNRVTKVAVKMLKSDATEKDLSDLISEMEMMKMIGKHK NIINLLGACTQDGPLYVIVEYASKGNLREYLQARRPPGLEYCYNPSHNPEEQLSSKDLVS CAYQVARGMEYLASKKCIHRDLAARNVLVTEDNVMKIADFGLARDIHHIDYYKKTTNGRL PVKWMAPEALFDRIYTHQSDVWSFGVLLWEIFTLGGSPYPGVPVEELFKLLKEGHRMDKP SNCTNELYMMMRDCWHAVPSQRPTFKQLVEDLDRIVALTSNQEYLDLSMPLDQYSPSFPD TRSSTCSSGEDSVFSHEPLPEEPCLPRHPAQLANGGLKRR (SEQ ID NO: 40)

FIG. 18D

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQAQPWGAPVEVESFLVHPGDLLQLRCRLRDD VQSINWLRDGVQLAESNRTRITGEEVEVQDSVPADSGLYACVTSSPSGSDTTYFSVNVSA CPDLQEAKWCSASFHSITPLPFGLGTRLSD (SEQ ID NO: 41)

FIG. 18E

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQDALPSSEDDDDDDDSSSEEKETDNTKPNRM PVAPYWTSPEKMEKKLHAVPAAKTVKFKCPSSGTPNPTLRWLKNGKEFKPDHRIGGYKVR YATWSIIMDSVVPSDKGNYTCIVENEYGSINHTYQLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANKTVAL GSNVEFMCKVYSDPQPHIQWLKHIEVNGSKIGPDNLPYVQILKVIMAPVFVGQSTGKETT VSGAQVPVGRLSCPRMGSFLTLQAHTLHLSRDLATSPRTSNRGHKVEVSWEQRAAGMGGA GL (SEQ ID NO: 42)

FIG. 18F

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQACPDLQEAKSCSASFHSITPLPFGLGTRLS D (SEQ ID NO: 43)

FIG. 18G

MWSWKCLLFWAVLVTATLCTARPSPTLPEQDALPSSEDDDDDDDSSSEEKETDNTKPNPV APYWTSPEKMEKKLHAVPAAKTVKFKCPSSGTPNPTLRWLKNGKEFKPDHRIGGYKVRYA TWSIIMDSVVPSDKGNYTCIVENEYGSINHTYQLDVVERSPHRPILQAGLPANKTVALGS NVEFMCKVYSDPQPHIQWLKHIEVNGSKIGPDNLPYVQILKVIMAPVFVGQSTGKETTVS GAQVPVGRLSCPRMGSFLTLQAHTLHLSRDLATSPRTSNRGHKVEVSWEQRAAGMGGAGL (SEQ ID NO: 44)

FIG. 18H

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1 mellpplpqs fllllllpak paagedwqcp rtpyaasrdf dvkyvvpsfs agglvqamvt
  61 yegdrnesav fvairnrlhv lqpdlksvqs latqpaqdpq cqtcaacqpq phqppqdtdt
 121 kvlvldpalp alvscgsslq grcflhdlep qgtavhlaap aclfsahhnr pddcpdcvas
 181 plgtrvtvve qqqasyfyva ssldaavags fsprsvsirr lkadasgfap gfvalsvlpk
 241 hlvsysieyv hsfhtgafvy fltvqpasvt ddpsalhtrl arlsatepel gdyrelvldc
301 rfapkrrrrg apeggqpypv lqvahsapvg aqlatelsia egqevlfgvf vtgkdggpgv
 361 gpnsvvcafp idlldtlide gverccespv hpglrrqldf fqspsfcpnp pglealspnt
 421 scrhfpllvs ssfsrvdlfn gllgpvqvta lyvtrldnvt vahmgtmdgr ilqvelvrsl
 481 nyllyvsnfs lgdsgqpvqr dvsrlgdhll fasgdqvfqv pirgpgcrhf ltcgrclraw
 541 hfmgcgwcgn mcgqqkecpq swqqdhcppk ltefhphsqp lrqstrltlc qsnfylhpsq
 601 lvpegthqvt vgqspcrplp kdssklrpvp rkdfveefec eleplgtqav gptnvsltvt
 661 nmppgkhfrv dgtsvlrgfs fmepvliavq plfgpraggt cltlegqsls vgtsravlvn
 721 gtecllarvs egglicatpp gatvasvpls lqvqqaqvpq swtfqyredp vvlsispncq
 781 yinshiticg qhltsawhlv lsfhdglrav esrcerqlpe qqlcrlpeyv vrdpqgwvag
 841 nlsargdgaa gftlpgfrfl ppphppsanl vplkpeehai kfeyiglgav adcvginvtv
 901 ggescqhefr gdmvvcplpp slqlqqdgap lqvcvdgech ilgrvvrpgp dgvpqstllg
 961 illpllllva alatalvfsy wwrrkqlvlp pnlndlasld qtagatplpi lysgsdyrsg
1021 lalpaidgld sttcvhqasf sdsedescvp llrkesiglr dldsallaev kdvlipherv
1081 vthsdrvigk ghfgvvyhge yidqaqnriq caikslsrit emqqveaflr egllmrglnh
1141 pnvlaligim lppeglphvl lpymchgdll qfirspqrnp tvkdlisfgl qvargmeyla
1201 eqkfvhrdla arnomldesf tvkvadfgla rdildreyys vqqhrharlp vkwmaleslq
1261 tyrfttksdv wsfgvllwel ltrgappyrh idpfdlthfl aggrrlpqpe ycpdslygvm
1321 qqcweadpav rptfrvlvge veqivsallg dhyvqlpaty mnlgpstshe mnvrpeqpqf
1381 spmpgnvrrp rplsepprpt (SEQ ID NO: 34)
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FIG. 19A

MELLPPLPOSFLLLLLPAKPAAGEDWOCPRTPYAASRDFDVKYVVPSFSAGGLVOAMVT YEGDRNESAVFVAIRNRLHVLGPDLKSVQSLATGPAGDPGCQTCAACGPGPHGPPGDTDT KVLVLDPALPALVSCGSSLQGRCFLHDLEPQGTAVHLAAPACLFSAHHNRPDDCPDCVAS PLGTRVTVVEQGOASYFYVASSLDAAVAGSFSPRSVSIRRLKADASGFAPGFVALSVLPK HLVSYSIEYVHSFHTGAFVYFLTVQPASVTDDPSALHTRLARLSATEPELGDYRELVLDC RFAPKRRRGAPEGGOPYPVLQVAHSAPVGAQLATELSIAEGOEVLFGVFVTGKDGGPGV GPNSVVCAFPIDLLDTLIDEGVERCCESPVHPGLRRGLDFFQSPSFCPNPPGLEALSPNT SCRHFPLLVSSSFSRVDLFNGLLGPVQVTALYVTRLDNVTVAHMGTMDGRILQVELVRSL NYLLYVSNFSLGDSGQPVQRDVSRLGDHLLFASGDQVFQVPIRGPGCRHFLTCGRCLRAW LVPEGTHQVTVGQSPCRPLPKDSSKLRPVPRKDFVEEFECELEPLGTQAVGPTNVSLTVT NMPPGKHFRVDGTSVLRGFSFMEPVLIAVQPLFGPRAGGTCLTLEGQSLSVGTSRAVLVN GTECLLARVSEGQLLCATPPGATVASVPLSLQVGGAQVPGSWTFQYREDPVVLSISPNCG YINSHITICGQHLTSAWHLVLSFHDGLRAVESRCEROLPEOOLCRLPEYVVRDPOGWVAG NLSARGDGAAGFTLPGFRFLPPPHPPSANLVPLKPEEHAIKFEYIGLGAVADCVGINVTV GGESCQHEFRGDMVVCPLPPSLQLGQDGAPLQVCVDGECHILGRVVRPGPDGVPQSTLLG ILLPLLLLVAALATALVFSYWWRRKQLVLPPNLNDLASLDQTAGATPLPILYSGSDYRSG LALPAIDGLDSTTCVHGASFSDSEDESCVPLLRKESIQLRDLDSALLAEVKDVLIPHERV VTHSDRVIGKGHFGVVYHGEYIDQAQNRIQCAIKSLSRITEMQQVEAFLREGLLMRGLNH PNVLALIGIMLPPEGLPHVLLPYMCHGDLLQFIRSPQRNPTVKDLISFGLQVARGMEYLA EQKFVHRDLAARNCMLDESFTVKVADFGLARDILDREYYSVQQHRHARLPVKWMALESLQ TYRFTTKSDVWSFGVLLWELLTRGAPPYRHIDPFDLTHFLAOGRRLPOPEYCPDSLYOVM QQCWEADPAVRPTFRVLVGEVEQIVSALLGDHYVQLPATYMNLGPSTSHEMNVRPEQPQF SPMPGNVRRPRPLSEPPRPT (SEQ ID NO: 45)

FIG. 19B

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1 mrgargawdf lcvllllrv qtgssqpsvs pgepsppsih pgksdlivrv gdeirllctd 61 pgfvkwtfei ldetnenkqn ewitekaeat ntgkytctnk hglsnsiyvf vrdpaklflv 121 drslygkedn dtlvrcpltd pevtnyslkg cqgkplpkdl rfipdpkagi miksvkrayh 181 rlclhcsvdq egksvlsekf ilkvrpafka vpvvsvskas yllregeeft vtctikdvss 241 svystwkren sqtklqekyn swhhgdfnye rqatltissa rvndsgvfmc yanntfgsan 301 vtttlevvdk gfinifpmin ttvfvndgen vdliveyeaf pkpehqqwiy mnrtfdkwe 361 dypksenesn iryvselhlt rlkgteggty tflvsnsdvn aaiafnvyvn tkpeiltydr 421 lvngmlqcva agfpeptidw yfcpgteqrc sasvlpvdvq tlnssgppfg klvvqssids 481 safkhngtve ckayndvykt sayfnfafkg nnkeqihpht lftplligfv ivagmmciiv 541 miltykylqk pmyevqwkvv eeingnnyvy idptqlpydh kwefprnrls fgktlgagaf 601 gkvveatayg liksdaamtv avkmlkpsah lterealmse lkvlsylgnh mnivnllgac 661 tiggptlvit eyccygdlln flrrkrdsfi cskqedhaea alyknllhsk esscsdstne 721 ymdmkpgvsy vvptkadkrr svrigsyier dvtpaimedd elaldledll sfsyqvakgm 781 aflaskncih rdlaarnill thgritkicd fglardiknd snyvvkgnar lpvkwmapes 441 ifncvytfes dvwsygiflw elfslgsspy pgmpvdskfy kmikegfrml spehapaemy 901 dimktcwdad plkrptfkqi vqliekqise stnhiysnla ncspnrqkpv vdhsvrinsv 961 gstasssqpl lvhddv (SEQ ID NO: 35)
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FIG. 20A

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1 MRGARGAWDF LCVLLLLLRV QTGSSQPSVS PGEPSPPSIH PGKSDLIVRV GDEIRLLCTD
 61 PGFVKWTFEI LDETNENKON EWITEKAEAT NTGKYTCTNK HGLSNSIYVF VRDPAKLFLV
                                                                        120
121 DRSLYGKEDN DTLVRCPLTD PEVTNYSLKG CQGKPLPKDL RFIPDPKAGI MIKSVKRAYH
                                                                        180
181 RLCLHCSVDQ EGKSVLSEKF ILKVRPAFKA VPVVSVSKAS YLLREGEEFT VTCTIKDVSS
                                                                         240
241 SVYSTWKREN SQTKLQEKYN SWHHGDFNYE RQATLTISSA RVNDSGVFMC YANNTFGSAN
                                                                         300
301 VTTTLEVVDK GFINIFPMIN TTVFVNDGEN VDLIVEYEAF PKPEHQQWIY MNRTFTDKWE
                                                                         360
361 DYPKSENESN IRYVSELHLT RLKGTEGGTY TFLVSNSDVN AAIAFNVYVN TKPEILTYDR
421 LVNGMLQCVA AGFPEPTIDW YFCPGTEQRC SASVLPVDVQ TLNSSGPPFG KLVVQSSIDS
481 SAFKHNGTVE CKAYNDVGKT SAYFNFAFKG NNKEQIHPHT LFTPLLIGFV IVAGMMCIIV
                                                                         540
541 MILTYKYLQV VEEINGNNYV YIDPTQLPYD HKWEFPRNRL SFGKTLGAGA FGKVVEATAY
                                                                         600
601 GLIKSDAAMT VAVKMLKPSA HLTEREALMS ELKVLSYLGN HMNIVNLLGA CTIGGPTLVI
                                                                         660
661 TEYCCYGDLL NFLRRKRDSF ICSKQEDHAE AALYKNLLHS KESSCSDSTN EYMDMKPGVS
721 YVVPTKADKR RSVRIGSYIE RDVTPAIMED DELALDLEDL LSFSYQVAKG MAFLASKNCI
781 HRDLAARNIL LTHGRITKIC DFGLARDIKN DSNYVVKGNA RLPVKWMAPE SIFNCVYTFE
                                                                         840
841 SDVWSYGIFL WELFSLGSSP YPGMPVDSKF YKMIKEGFRM LSPEHAPAEM YDIMKTCWDA
                                                                         900
901 DPLKRPTFKO IVOLIEKOIS ESTNHIYSNL ANCSPNRQKP VVDHSVRINS VGSTASSSQP
                                                                         960
961 LLVHDDV (SEO ID NO: 46)
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FIG. 20B

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1 mrgargawdf lcvlllllrv qtgssqpsvs pgepspsih pgksdlivrv gdeirllctd 1 pgfvkwtfei ldetnenkqn ewitekaeat ntgkytctnk hglsnsiyvf vrdpaklflv cqskplpkdl rflipdpkagi miksvkrayh 181 rlclhcsvdq egksvlsekf ilkvrpafka vpvvsvskas yllregeeft vtctikdvss systwkren sqtklqekyn swhhgdfnye rqatltissa rvndsgvfmc yanntfgsan 101 vtttlevvdk gfinifpmin ttvfvndgen vdliveyeaf pkpehqqwiy mnrtfdkwe 1 lvngmlqcva agfpeptidw yfcpgteqrc sasvlpvdvq tlnssgppfg klvvqssids 481 safkhngtve ckayndvgks sayfnfafkg nnkeqihpht lftplligfv ivagmmciiv pmyvevqwkvv eeingnnyvy idptqlpydh kwefprnrls fgktlgagaf 601 gkvveatayg liksdaamtv avkmlkpsah lterealmse lkvlsylgh mnivnllgac 661 tiggptlvit eyccygdlln flrrkrdsfi cskqedhaea alyknllhsk esscsdstne 321 ymdmkpgvsy vvptkadkrr svrigsyier dvtpaimedd elaldledll sfsyqvakgm 1 flrkrdsfi cskqedhaea lflrcvytfes dvwsygiflw elfslgsspy pgmpvdskfy kmikegfrml spehapaemy 901 dimktcwdad plkrptfkqi vqliekqise stnhiysnla ncspnrqkpv vdhsvrinsv
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FIG. 20C

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1 mrtlaclill gcgylahvla eeaeiprevi erlarsqihs irdlqrllei dsvgsedsld
 61 tslrahgvha tkhvpekrpl pirrkrsiee avpavcktrt viyeiprsqv dptsanfliw
121 ppcvevkrct gccntssvkc qpsrvhhrsv kvakveyvrk kpklkevqvr leehlecaca
181 ttslnpdyre edtgrpresg kkrkrkrlkp t (SEQ ID NO: 36)
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FIG. 21A

 ${\tt MRTLACLLLLGCGYLAHVLAEE} A {\tt EIPREVIERLARSQIHSIRDLQRLLEIDSVGSEDSLD}$ TSLRAHGVHATKHVPEKRPLPIRRKRSIEEAVPAVCKTRTVIYEIPRSQVDPTSANFLIW ${\tt PPCVEVKRCTGCCNTSSVKCQPSRVHHRSVKVAKVEYVRKKPKLKEVQVRLEEHLECACA}$ TTSLNPDYREEDTDVR (SEQ ID NO: 48)

FIG. 21B

 $\verb|MRTLACLLLLGCGYLAHVLAEEAEIPREVIERLARSQIHSIRDLQRLLEIDSVGSEDSLD|\\$ ISLRAHGVHATKHVPEKRPLPIRRKRSIEEAVPAVCKTRTVIYEIPRSOVDPTSANFLIW ${\tt PPCVEVKRCTGCCNTSSVKCQPSRVHHRSVKVAKVEYVRKKPKLKEVQVRLEEHLECACA}$ TTSLNPDYREEDTGRPRESGKKRKRKRLKPT (SEQ ID NO: 49)

FIG. 21C

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1 mgtshpaflv lgclltglsl ilcqlslpsi lpnenekvvq lnssfslrcf gesevswqyp
  61 mseeessdve irneennsgl fvtvlevssa saahtglytc yynhtqteen elegrhiyiy
 121 vpdpdvafvp lgmtdylviv edddsaiipc rttdpetpvt lhnsegvvpa sydsrqgfng
 181 tftvgpyice atvkgkkfqt ipfnvyalka tseldlemea lktvyksget ivvtcavfnn
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301 emkkvtisvh ekgfieikpt fsqleavnlh evkhfvvevr aypppriswl knnltlienl
 361 teittdveki qeiryrsklk lirakeedsg hytivaqned avksytfell tqvpssildl
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721 vilsfenngd ymdmkqadtt qyvpmlerke vskysdigrs lydrpasykk ksmldsevkn
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 841 rdimhdsnyv skystflpvk wmapesifdn lyttlsdvws ygillweifs lggtpypgmm
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961 syekihldfl ksdhpavarm rvdsdnayig vtykneedkl kdweggldeq rlsadsgyii
1021 plpdidpvpe eedlgkrnrh ssqtseesai etgsssstfi kredetiedi dmmddigids
1081 sdlvedsfl (SEQ ID NO: 37)
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FIG. 22A

MGTSHPAFLVLGCLLTGLSLILCQLSLPSILPNENEKVVQLNSSFSLRCFGESEVSWQYP MSEEESSDVEIRNEENNSGLFVTVLEVSSASAAHTGLYTCYYNHTQTEENELEGRHIYIY VPDPDVAFVPLGMTDYLVIVEDDDSAIIPCRTTDPETPVTLHNSEGVVPASYDSRQGFNG TFTVGPYICEATVKGKKFQTIPFNVYALKATSELDLEMEALKTVYKSGETIVVTCAVFNN EVVDLQWTYPGEVKGKGITMLEEIKVPSIKLVYTLTVPEATVKDSGDYECAARQATREVK EMKKVTISVHEKGFIEIKPTFSQLEAVNLHEVKHFVVEVRAYPPPRISWLKNNLTLIENL TEITTDVEKIQEIRYRSKLKLIRAKEEDSGHYTIVAQNEDAVKSYTFELLTQVPSSILDL VDDHHGSTGGQTVRCTAEGTPLPDIEWMICKDIKKCNNETSWTILANNVSNIITEIHSRD RSTVEGRVTFAKVEETIAVRCLAKNLLGAENRELKLVAPTLRSELTVAAAVLVLLVIVII SLIVLVVIWKQKPRYEIRWRVIESISPDGHEYIYVDPMQLPYDSRWEFPRDGLVLGRVLG SGAFGKVVEGTAYGLSRSQPVMKVAVKMLKPTARSSEKQALMSELKIMTHLGPHLNIVNL LGACTKSGPIYIITEYCFYGDLVNYLHKNRDSFLSHHPEKPKKELDIFGLNPADESTRSY VILSFENNGDYMDMKQADTTQYVPMLERKEVSKYSDIQRSLYDRPASYKKKSMLDSEVKN LLSDDNSEGLTLLDLLSFTYQVARGMEFLASKNCVHRDLAARNVLLAQGKIVKICDFGLA RDIMHDSNYVSKGSTFLPVKWMAPESIFDNLYTTLSDVWSYGILLWEIFSLGGTPYPGMM VDSTFYNKIKSGYRMAKPDHATSEVYEIMVKCWNSEPEKRPSFYHLSEIVENLLPGQYKK ${\tt SYEKIHLDFLKSDHPAVARMRVDSDNAYIGVTYKNEEDKLKDWEGGLDEQRLSADSGYII}$ PLPDIDPVPEEEDLGKRNRHSSQTSEESAIETGSSSSTFIKREDETIEDIDMMDDIGIDS SDLVEDSFL (SEQ ID NO: 50)

FIG. 22B

MGTSHPAFLVLGCLLTGLSLILCQLSLPSILPNENEKVVQLNSSFSLRCFGESEVSWOYP MSEEESSDVEIRNEENNSGLFVTVLEVSSASAAHTGLYTCYYNHTQTEENELEGRHIYIY VPDPDVAFVPLGMTDYLVIVEDDDSAIIPCRTTDPETPVTLHNSEGVVPASYDSRQGFNG TFTVGPYICEATVKGKKFQTIPFNVYALKATSELDLEMEALKTVYKSGETIVVTCAVFNN EVVDLQWTYPGEVKGKGITMLEEIKVPSIKLVYTLTVPEATVKDSGDYECAARQATREVK EMKKVTISVHEKGFIEIKPTFSQLEAVNLHEVKHFVVEVRAYPPPRISWLKNNLTLIENL TEITTDVEKIQEIRNNETSWTILANNVSNIITEIHSRDRSTVEGRVTFAKVEETIAVRCL AKNLLGAENRELKLVAPTLRSELTVAAAVLVLLVIVIISLIVLVVIWKOKPRYEIRWRVI ${\tt ESISPDGHEYIYVDPMQLPYDSRWEFPRDGLVLGRVLGSGAFGKVVEGTAYGLSRSQPVM}$ ${\tt KVAVKMLKPTARSSEKQALMSELKIMTHLGPHLNIVNLLGACTKSGPIYIITEYCFYGDL}$ VNYLHKNRDSFLSHHPEKPKKELDIFGLNPADESTRSYVILSFENNGDYMDMKQADTTQY VPMLERKEVSKYSDIQRSLYDRPASYKKKSMLDSEVKNLLSDDNSEGLTLLDLLSFTYQV ARGMEFLASKNCVHRDLAARNVLLAQGKIVKICDFGLARDIMHDSNYVSKGSTFLPVKWM APESIFDNLYTTLSDVWSYGILLWEIFSLGGTPYPGMMVDSTFYNKIKSGYRMAKPDHAT SEVYEIMVKCWNSEPEKRPSFYHLSEIVENLLPGQYKKSYEKIHLDFLKSDHPAVARMRV DSDNAYIGVTYKNEEDKLKDWEGGLDEQRLSADSGYIIPLPDIDPVPEEEDLGKRNRHSS QTSEESAIETGSSSSTFIKREDETIEDIDMMDDIGIDSSDLVEDSFL(SEQ ID NO: 51)

FIG. 22C

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1 atgggcagcc cccgctccgc gctgagctgc ctgctgttgc acttgctggt cctctgcctc 61 caagcccagg taactgttca gtcctcacct aattttacac agcatgtgag ggagcagagc 121 ctggtgacgg atcagctcag ccgccgcctc atccggacct accaactcta cagccgcacc 181 agcgggaagc acgtgcaggt cctggccaac aagcgcatca acgccatggc agaggacggc 241 gacccttcg caaagctcat cgtggagacg gacacctttg gaagcagagt tcgagtccga 301 ggagccgaga cgggcctcta catctgcatg aacaagaagg ggaagctgat cgccaagagc 361 aacggcaaag gcaaggactg cgtcttcacg gagattgtgc tggagaacaa ctacacagcg 421 ctgcagaatg ccaagtacga gggctgtac atggccttca cccgcaaggg ccggccccgc 481 aagggctcca agacgcggca gagcctgct aggccaccac ccaccgagca gagcctgcc tcatgaaggg ccggccccgc 481 ggccaccaca ccaccgagca gagcctgcc tcagagtcc tcatgaaggg gctgccccg 601 cgcagcctgc gcgcagcca gaggacttgg gcccccgagc cccgatag (SEQ ID NO: 66)
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FIG. 23

Monoclonal antibodies selective binding to FGFR2IIIc

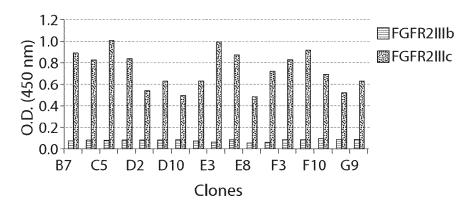
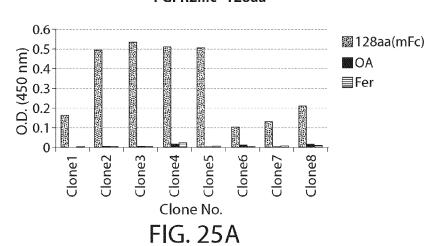


FIG. 24A

	FGFR2IIIb	FGFR2IIIc
B7	0.073	0.892
B8	0.081	0.828
C5	0.085	1.004
C8	0.082	0.835
D2	0.081	0.536
D5	0.088	0.623
D10	0.089	0.494
D11	0.069	0.631
E3	0.064	0.987
E4	0.087	0.875
E8	0.061	0.489
E9	0.063	0.720
F3	0.092	0.822
F9	0.086	0.915
F10	0.105	0.690
G8	0.083	0.522
G9	0.087	0.628
POSITIVE CTRL SERUM(1:2000)	1.678	

FIG. 24B

Human Antibody scFv Clones Binding to FGFR2IIIc- 128aa



FGFR2IIIc(128aa-mFc) OA Fer Clone1 0.166±0.002 0.000 ± 0.000 0.006 ± 0.001 Clone2 0.493±0.002 0.003±0.002 0.005 ± 0.001 0.002±0.001 Clone3 0.002±0.001 0.538±0.003 Clone4 0.513±0.001 0.020±0.002 0.023 ± 0.003 Clone5 0.511±0.002 0.002 ± 0.003 0.006±0.001 Clone6 0.106±0.001 0.018±0.002 0.006 ± 0.003 Clone7 0.135±0.002 0.005 ± 0.001 0.006±0.001 Clone8 0.215±0.001 0.020±0.001 0.011±0.002

FIG. 25B

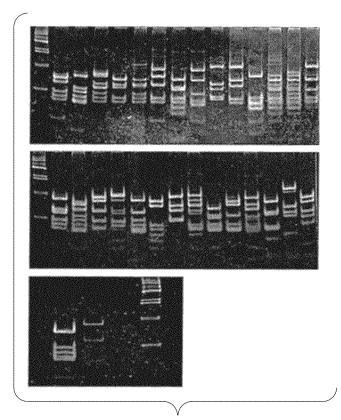
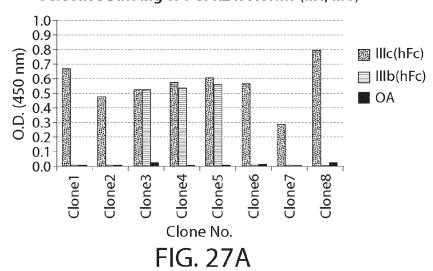


FIG. 26

Selective Binding to FGFR2 Isoforms (IIIc, IIIb)



	IIIc(hFc)	IIIb(hFc)	OA
Clone1	0.671±0.002	0.005±0.001	0.004±0.001
Clone2	0.480±0.002	0.003±0.001	0.005±0.001
Clone3	0.530±0.002	0.530±0.001	0.025±0.002
Clone4	0.576±0.004	0.543±0.002	0.006±0.003
Clone5	0.605±0.002	0.565±0.003	0.007±0.001
Clone6	0.571±0.003	0.012±0.002	0.015±0.001
Clone7	0.291±0.002	0.008±0.001	0.005±0.002
Clone8	0.800±0.004	0.003±0.001	0.028 ±0.002

FIG. 27B

		VL-CDR-1 VL-CDR-2	
Clon6	1	QSVLTQPPSVSAAPGQKVTISC <u>SGSSSNIGNNYVS</u> WYQQLPGTAPKLLIY <u>DNNKRPSGI</u> P 60 QSVLTQPPSVSAAPGQKVTISCSGSSSNIGNNYVSWYQQLPGTAPKLLIYDNNKRPSGIP	0
Clon8	1	QSVLTQPPSVSAAPGQKVTISC <u>SGSSSNIGNNYVS</u> WYQQLPGTAPKLLIY <u>DNNKRPSGI</u> P 60	0
		VL-CDR-3	
Clon6	61	DRFSDSKSGTSATLGITGLQTGDEADYYCGTWDSSLSAVVFGGGTKLTVLGSGGSTITSY 12 DRFS SKSGTSATL I+GLQ+ DEADYYC WD SL+ VVFGGGTKLTVLGSGGSTITSY	20
Clon8	61	DRFSGSKSGTSATLAISGLQSEDEADYYCAAWDDSLNGVVFGGGTKLTVLGSGGSTITSY 12	20
		VH-CDR-1	
Clon6	121	NVYYTKLSSSGTEVQLVQSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTF <u>SSYAIS</u> WVRQAPGQGLEWM 18	30
Clon8	121	NVYYTKLSSSGTQVQLVQSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTF <u>SSYAIS</u> WVRQAPGQGLEWM 18	}0
		VH-CDR-2 VH-CDR-3	
Clon6	181	GRIIPILGIANYAQKFQGRVTITADKSTSTAYMELSSLRSEDTAVYYCARDPLLWS-YFD 23	19
~1 ^		GRIIPT G ANYAQKFQGRVTITAD+STSTAYMEL+SLRSEDTAVYYCARD W+ FD	
Clous	181	GRIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGRVTITADESTSTAYMELNSLRSEDTAVYYCARDRWDWNDAFD 24	ŧυ
Clon6	240	YWGQGTLVTVSS 251	
		_WGQGT+VTVSS	
Clon8	241	<u>I</u> WGQGTMVTVSS 252	

FIG. 28

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DNNKRPSGIP	NVYYTKLSSS GTQVQLVQSG	NYAQKFQGRV	
PGTAPKLLIY	GSGGSTITSY	GRIIPIFGTA	SS
NNYVSWYQQL	FGGGTKLTVL	QAPGQGLEWM	IMGOGTMVTV
SCSGSSSNIG	AWDDSLNGVV	FSSYAISWVR	DRWDWNDAFD
SAAPGQKVTI	SEDEADYYCA	KVSCKASGGT	EDTAVYYCAR
OSVLTOPPSV	SATLAISGLQ	AEVKKPGSSV	AYMELNSLRS

FIG. 29B

DRFSGSKSGT

DNNKRPSGIP

PGTAPKLLIY

NNYVSWYQQL FGGGTKLTVL

SCSGSSSNIG

SAAPGQKVTI SEDEADYYCA

QSVLTQPPSV SATLAISGLQ

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FIG. 29D

IIPIFGTANY

PGQGLEWMGR GOGTMVTVSS

SYAISWVRQA WDWNDAFDIW

SCKASGGTFS TAVYYCARDR

VKKPGSSVKV MELNSLRSED

QVQLVQSGAE TADESTSTAY

TCTTTGGTACAGCAAACTACGCACAGAAGTTCCAGGGCAGAGTCACGATTACCGCGGACGAATCCACGAGCACGAGCCTAC CAGGTCCAGCTGGTGCAGTCTGGGGCTGAGGTGAAGAAGCCTGGGTCCTCGGTGAAGGTCTCCTGCAAGGCTTCTGGAGG CACCTTCAGCAGCTATGCTATCAGCTGGGTGCGACAGGCCCCTGGACAAGGGCTTGAGTGGATGGGAAGGATCATCCCTA <u> ATGGAGCTGAACAGCCTGAGATCTGAGGACACGGCCGTGTATTACTGTGCG<u>AGAGATCGATGGGACTGGAACGACGTTT</u></u> <u>TGATATC</u>TGGGGCCAAGGGACAATGGTCACCGTCTCCTCA

CAGTCTGTGCTGAcGCAGCCGCCCTCGGTGTCTGCGGCCCCCAGGACAGAAGGTCACCATCTCCTGCTCTGGAAGCAGCTC CAACATTGGGAATAATTATGTATCCTGGTACCAGCAGCTCCCAGGAACAGCCCCCAAACTCCTCATTTATGACAAATAATA

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FIG. 30A

GSGGSTITSY 2SVLTQPPSV SAAPGQKVTI SCSGSSSNIG NNYVSWYQQL PGTAPKLLIY DNNKRPSGIP NVYYTKLSSS GTEVQLVQSG AEVKKPGSSV KVSCKASGGT FSSYAISWVR QAPGQGLEWM GRIIPILGIA NYAQKFQGRV TITADKSTST AYMELSSLRS EDTAVYYCAR DPLLWSYFDY SATLGITGLQ TGDEADYYCG TWDSSLSAVV FGGGTKLTVL DRFSDSKSGT MGQGTLVTVS

FIG. 30B

CAGTCTGTGTGACGCAGCCGCCCTCGGTGTCTGCGGCCCCAGGACAGAAGGTCACCATCTCCTGCTCTGGAAGCACCTC CAACATTGGGAATAATTATGTATCCTGGTACCAGCAGCTCCCAGGAACAGCCCCCAAACTCCTCATTTATGACAATAATA <u>AGCGACCCTCAGGGATT</u>CCTGACCGATTCTCTGACTCCAAGTCTGGCACGTCAGCCACCTGGGCATCACCGGACTCCAG ACTGGGGACGAGGCCGATTATTACTGCGGAACATGGGATAGCAGCCTGAGTGCTGTGGTATTCGGCGGAGGGACCAAGCT CACCGTCCTAGGT

SATLGITGLQ TGDEADYYCG TWDSSLSAVV FGGGTKLTVL

DRFSDSKSGT

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EVQLVQSGAE VKKPGSSVKV SCKASGGTFS SYAISWVRQA PGQGLEWMGR IIPILGIANY

TADKSTSTAY MELSSLRSED TAVYYCARDP

AQKFQGRVTI

LLWSYFDYWG QGTLVTVSS

Round of panning	Input CFU	Eluted CFU	Yield
1	1.53x10 ¹³	6.95x10 ⁴	5.54x10 ⁻⁹
2	1.20x10 ¹³	1.24x10 ⁵	1.03x10 ⁻⁸
3	2.18x10 ¹³	4.67x10 ⁶	2.14x10 ⁻⁷
4	1.50x10 ¹³	6.30x10 ⁷	4.20x10 ⁻⁶

FIG. 31

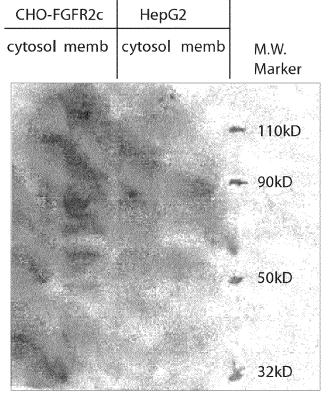
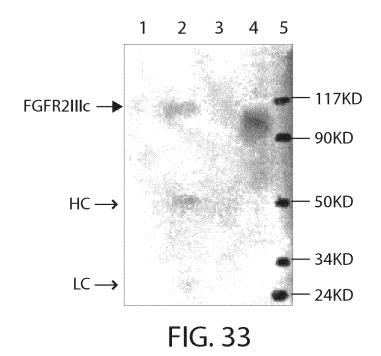


FIG. 32



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FIG. 34A

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FIG. 34B

FR1 CDR1 FR2

21-LC: DIQMNQSPATLSVTPGETVSLSCRAS QSIYKN LHWYQQKSHRSPRLLIK

FR3 STS DSISGIPSRFTGSGSGTDYTLSINSVKPEDEGIYYC

CDR3 LQGYSTPYT FGGGTKLEIKR

(SEQ ID NO: 90)

FR1 CDR1 FR2

21-HC: EVQLQQSGAELARPGASVKLSCKTS GYTFTSYW MQWLKQRPGQGLEWIGA

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FIG. 35

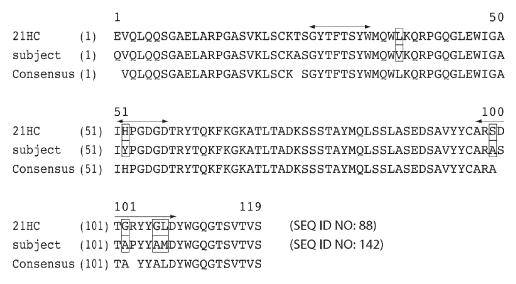


FIG. 36A

	1 50
21LC (1)	DIQMNQSPATLSVTPGETVSLSCRASQSIYKNLHWYQQKSHRSPRLLIKS
subject (1)	DIQLTQSPAILSVTPGETVSLSCRASQTIYKNLHWYQQKSHRSPRLLIKY
Consensus (1)	DIQL QSPA LSVTPGETVSLSCRASQSIYKNLHWYQQKSHRSPRLLIK
	51 100
21LC (51)	TSDSISGIPSRFTGSGSGTDYTLSINSVKPEDEGIYYCLQGYSTPYTFGG
subject (51)	GSDSISGIPSRFTGSGSGTDYTLNINSVKPEDEGIYYCLQGYSTPWTFGG
Consensus (51)	SDSISGIPSRFTGSGSGTDYTL INSVKPEDEGIYYCLQGYSTPWTFGG
	101
21L C (101)	GTKLEI (RESIDUES 1-106 OF SEQ ID NO: 90)
subject (101)	GTKLEI (SEQ ID NO: 143)
Consensus (101)	GTKLEI

FIG. 36B

QSVLTQPPSASGTPGQRVTISCSGSSSNIGSNTVNWYQQLPGTAPKLLIYSNNQRPSGV PDRFSGSKSGTSASLAISGLQSEDEADYYCAAWDDSLNGVVFGGGTKLTVLGSGGSTVT SYNVYYTKLSSSGTQVQLVQSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTFSSYAISWVRQAPGQGL EWMGRIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGRVIITADESTSTAYMELNSLRSEDTAVYYCARDRWDWN DAFDIWGQGTMVTVSS (SEQ ID NO: 190)

FIG. 37A

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CAGTCTGTGC TGACGCAGCC ACCCTCAGCG TCTGGGACCC CCGGGCAGAG
    GGTCACCATC TCTTGTTCTG GAAGCAGCTC CAACATCGGA AGTAATACTG
101 TAAACTGGTA CCAGCAGCTC CCAGGAACGG CCCCCAAACT CCTCATCTAT
    AGTAATAATC AGCGGCCCTC AGGGGTCCCT GACCGATTCT CTGGCTCCAA
201 GTCTGGCACC TCAGCCTCCC TGGCCATCAG TGGGCTCCAG TCTGAGGATG
251 AGGCTGATTA TTACTGTGCA GCATGGGATG ACAGCCTGAA TGGTGTGGTA
301 TTCGGCGGAG GGACCAAGCT GACCGTCCTA GGTTCCGGAG GGTCGACCGT
351 AACTTCGTAT AATGTATACT ATACGAAGTT ATCCTCGAGC GGTACCCAGG
    TCCAGCTGGT GCAGTCTGGG GCTGAGGTGA AGAAGCCTGG GTCCTCGGTG
401
    AAGGTCTCCT GCAAGGCTTC TGGAGGCACC TTCAGCAGCT ATGCTATCAG
    CTGGGTGCGA CAGGCCCCTG GACAAGGGCT TGAGTGGATG GGAAGGATCA
501
551
   TCCCTATCTT TGGTACAGCA AACTACGCAC AGAAGTTCCA GGGCAGAGTC
601 ACGATTACCG CGGACGAATC CACGAGCACA GCCTACATGG AGCTGAACAG
651 CCTGAGATCT GAGGACACGG CCGTGTATTA CTGTGCGAGA GATCGATGGG
701
    ACTGGAACGA CGCTTTTGAT ATCTGGGGCC AAGGGACAAT GGTCACCGTC
751 TCCTCA (SEQ ID NO: 191)
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FIG. 37B

FIG. 38

ScFv1		VL-CDR-1 QSVLTQPPSASGTPGQRVTISCSGSSSNIGSNTVNWYQQLPGTAPKLLIYSNNQRPSGVP	09
ScFv8	Н	\$	09
ScFv1	61		120
ScFv8	61	DRFSGSKSGTSATLAISGLQSEDEADIICAAWDDSLNGVVFGGGTKLTVLGSGGSTTTSI	120
		VH-CDR-1	
ScFv1	121	NVYYTKLSSSGTQVQLVQSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTFSSYAISWVRQAPGQGLEWM NVYYTKLSSSGTOVOLVOSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTFSSYAISWVROAPGOGLEWM	18(
ScFv8	121	NVYYTKLSSSSTQVQLVQSGAEVKKPGSSVKVSCKASGGTFSSYAISWVRQAPGQGLEWM	180
		VH-CDR-2	
ScFv1	181	GRIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGRVTITADESTSTAYMELNSLRSEDTAVYYCARDRWDWNDAFD GRIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGRVTITADESTSTAYMELNSLRSEDTAVYYCARDRWDWNDAFD	24(
ScFv8	181		240
ScFv1	241	IWGQGTMVTVSS 252	
ScFv8	241	IWGQGTMVTVSS 252	

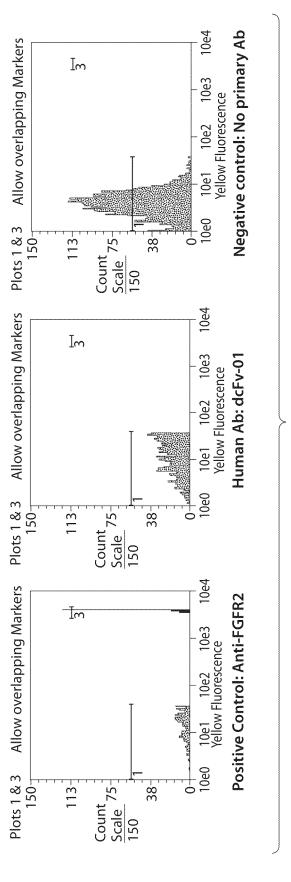
FIG. 39

Clone	VL-CDR1	SEQ ID NO	VL-CDR2	SEQ ID NO	VL-CDR3	SEQ ID NO
scFv-1	SCFv-1 SGSSSNIGSNIVN	144	SNNQRPSGV	145	AAWDDSLNGVV	146
scFv-6	SCFv-6 SGSSSNIGMNVS	155	DNNKRPSGI	156	<u>GTWDSSLSAVV</u>	157
scFv-8	SCFV-8 SGSSSNIGMNVS	155	DNNKRPSGI	156	AAWDDSLNGVV	146
Clone	VH-CDR1		VH-CDR2		VH-CDR3	
scFv-1	SCFv-1 SSYAIS	147	RIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGR	148	RD RWDW NDAFD I	149
scFv-6	SCFV-6 SSYAIS	147	RIIPILGIANYAQKFQGR	158	RDPLLWS-YFDY	159
scFv-8	scFv-8 SSYAIS	147	RIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGR	148	RD RWDWNDAFD I	149
		_		_		_

FIG. 40

	CHO mock	CHO-FGFR2IIIb	CHO-FGFR2IIIc
Ab:			
scFv-1			
Anti- Flag			

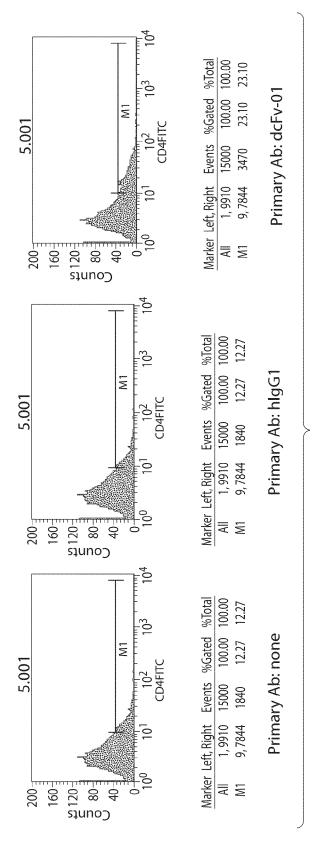
FIG. 41



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Staining antibody						
none	Human lgG (-ctrl)	Fc-fusion dcFv-1				

FIG. 43



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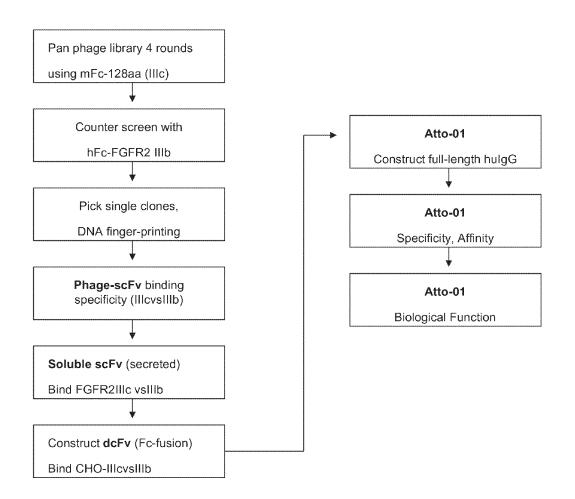


FIG. 45

Round of panning	Input phage(CFU)	Eluted phage(CFU)	Recovery rate (%)
1	1.53×10^{13}	6.95×10^4	5.54×10^{-7}
2	1.2×10^{13}	1.24×10^{5}	1.03×10^{-6}
3	2.18×10^{13}	4.67×10^6	2.14×10 ⁻⁵
4	1.5×10^{13}	6.3×10^{7}	4.2×10 ⁻⁴

FIG. 46

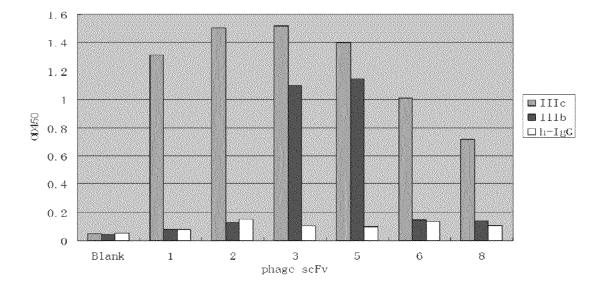


FIG. 47A

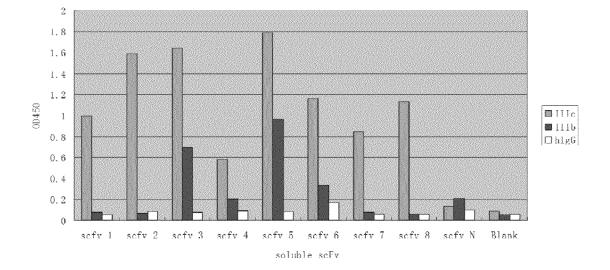


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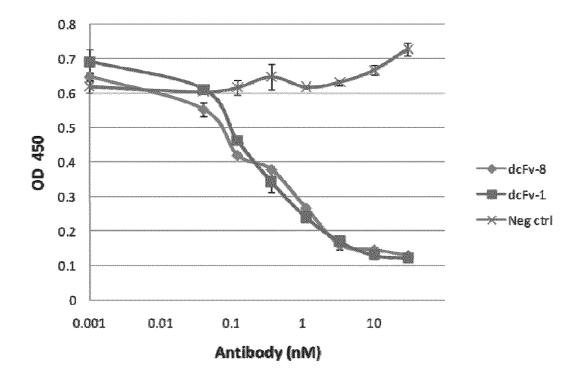


FIG. 47C

(phage-displayed: Phage-scFv; secreted: Soluble scFv; bivalent soluble: Fc-fusion dcFv)

	Ab Binding to Transient CHO						
	IIIb	IIIc	IIIb	IIIc	IIIb	IIIc	
Clone No.	Phag	e-scFv	Solubi	le scFv	Fc-fusio	on dcFv	
NegCtr		=		•	n.a.	n.a.	
1	•	++	•	++	_	++	
2	++	+++	+	+++	++	++	
3	+	++		+++	n.a.	n.a.	
4	+	+++	æ		n.a.	n.a.	
5	+	++		+++	n.a.	n.a.	
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8		+	*	+	-	+	

- = no binding

+ = positive binding

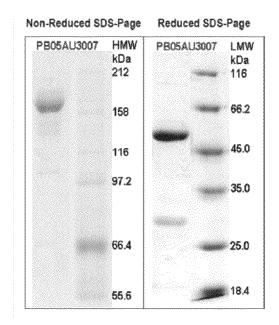
n.a. = not applied

FIG. 48

	VL-CDR1	VL-CDR2	VL-CDR3	VH- CDR1	VH-CDR2	VH-CDR3
					relation (reference)	
scFv-1	SGSSSNIG <u>S</u> N <u>T.N</u>	<u>s</u> nn <u>o</u> rpsg <u>v</u>	AAWDDSLNGVV	SSYAIS	RIIPIFGTANYAQKFQGR	RDRWDWNDAFDI
scFv-6	N.Y.S	DKI	GTSSA	• • • • •	L.I	PLL.S-YY
scFv-8	N.Y.S	DKI				

Dash line = a space in the sequence

A



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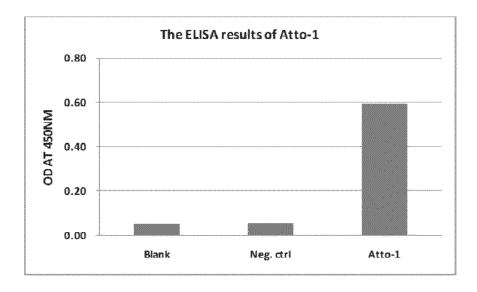
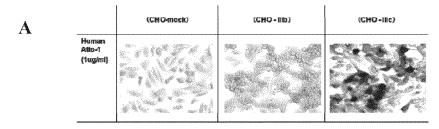


FIG. 50



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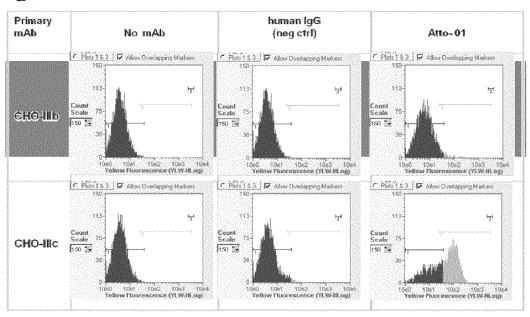
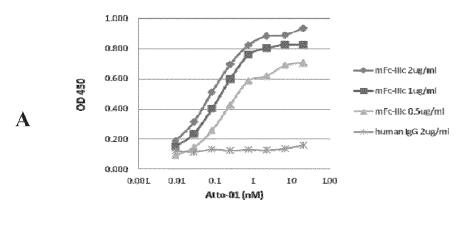
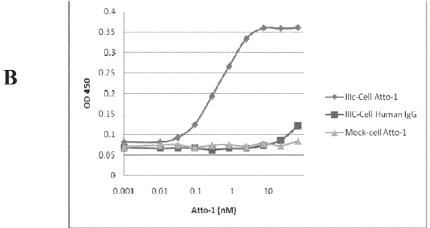


FIG. 51





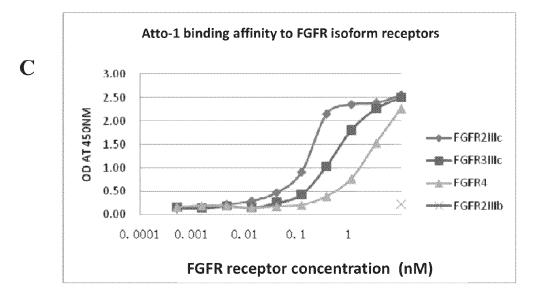


FIG. 52

ANTIBODY MOLECULES TO ONCOGENIC ISOFORMS OF FIBROBLAST GROWTH FACTOR RECEPTOR-2 AND USES THEREOF

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Ser. No. 12/866,013, filed on Nov. 22, 2010, which is abandoned, which is a 371 U.S. National Phase of International Application No. PCT/US2009/033031, filed Feb. 4, 2009, published as International Publication No. WO 2009/100105 on Aug. 13, 2009, and which claims the benefit of priority to U.S. Ser. No. 61/025,947, filed on Feb. 4, 2008. This application is also a continuation-in-part of PCT/US2011/047650, filed Aug. 12, 2011, published as International Publication No. WO 2012/021841, which claims the benefit of priority to U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 61/373,072, filed Aug. 12, 2010. The contents of the aforementioned applications are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety.

GOVERNMENT SUPPORT

The work described herein was carried out, at least in part, using funds from the United States government under contract number 1R43CA137929-01, from the National Institutes of Health (NIH). The U.S. government may therefore have certain rights in the invention.

SEQUENCE LISTING

The instant application contains a Sequence Listing which has been submitted in ASCII format via EFS-Web and is 35 hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety. Said ASCII copy, created on Feb. 8, 2013, is named "A2049700130 Sequence Listing_ST25.txt" and is 302,262 bytes in size.

BACKGROUND

In spite of numerous advances in medical research, cancer remains a leading cause of death in the United States. Traditional modes of clinical care, such as surgical resection, radiotherapy and chemotherapy, have a significant failure rate, 45 especially for solid tumors. Failure occurs either because the initial tumor is unresponsive, or because of recurrence due to re-growth at the original site and/or metastases. The etiology, diagnosis and ablation of cancer remain a central focus for medical research and development.

Since the probability of complete remission of cancer is, in most cases, greatly enhanced by early diagnosis, it is desirable for physicians to be able to identify cancerous tumors as early as possible. Identification of cancerous cells based on changes in gene expression is desirable because changes in 55 gene expression are likely to occur prior to the histological changes that distinguish malignant cells from normal cells. Using biomarkers that identify such changes in gene expression, one can identify cancerous or pre-cancerous cells when changes in gene expression are apparent, and thereby effec- 60 tively target individuals who would most likely benefit from adjuvant therapy. However, the development of methods and compositions that permit early, rapid, and accurate detection of many forms of cancers continues to challenge the medical community. Thus, a significant problem in the treatment of cancer remains detection and prognosis to enable appropriate therapeutic treatment and ablation of cancer.

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For example, prostate cancer (CaP) is one of the most common malignancies in men, with an increasing incidence. In 2007, approximately 218,900 men were diagnosed and approximately 27,050 men died of the disease in the U.S. alone. Despite important progress in the early diagnosis of prostate malignancies through the measurement of PSA levels, about 10% of newly diagnosed patients have some evidence of locally advanced CaP and 5% already have distant metastasis at the time of diagnoses (Draisma et al., (2003) J. Natl. Cancer Inst. 95:868-878; Thompson et al., (2003) N. Engl. J. Med. 349, 215-224; Makinen et al., (2003) Clin. Cancer Res. 9, 2435-2439). Curative treatments for locally advanced CaP are available (Bolla et al., (2002) Lancet 360, 103-106; Messing et al., (1999) N. Engl. J. Med. 341, 1781-1788; D'Amico et al., (2004) J. Am. Med. Assoc. 292, 821-827). In contrast, patients with evidence of distant metastases have a very poor prognosis and limited curative treatment exists (Cheville et al., (2002) Cancer 95, 1028-1036). Tumor metastasis is the main cause for mortality associated with prostate cancer. Hormone-refractory prostate cancer (HRPC) is an example of an invasive type of prostate cancer.

Limited treatment modalities currently exist for prostate cancer once it has metastasized. For example, systemic therapy is limited to various forms of androgen deprivation. While most patients will demonstrate initial clinical improvement, virtually inevitably, androgen-independent cells develop. Endocrine therapy is thus palliative, not curative. In a study of 1,387 patients with metastatic disease detectable by imaging (e.g., bone or CT scan), the median time to objective disease progression (excluding biochemical/PSA progression) after initiation of hormonal therapy (i.e., development of androgen-independence) was 16-48 months (Eisenberger M. A., et al. (1998) NEJM 339:1036-42). Median overall survival in these patients was 28-52 months from the onset of hormonal treatment (Eisenberger M. A., et al. (1998) supra.). Subsequent to developing androgen-independence, there is no effective standard therapy and the median duration of survival is 9-12 months (Vollmer, R. T., et al. (1999) Clin Can Res 5: 831-7; Hudes G., et al., (1997) Proc Am Soc Clin Oncol 40 16:316a (abstract); Pienta K. J., et al., (1994) J Clin Oncol 12(10):2005-12; Pienta K. J., et al. (1997) Urology 50:401-7; Tannock I. F., et al., (1996) J Clin Oncol 14:1756-65; Kantoff P. W., et al., (1996) J. Clin. Oncol. 15 (Suppl):25:110-25). Cytotoxic chemotherapy is poorly tolerated in this age group and generally considered ineffective and/or impractical. In addition, prostate cancer is relatively resistant to cytotoxic agents. Thus, chemotherapeutic regimen has not demonstrated a significant survival benefit in this patient group. In view of the shortcomings of existing therapies and diagnostics, the need still exists for improved targeted modalities for preventing, treating and/or diagnosing cancers, such as prostate cancer.

SUMMARY

The present invention features, at least in part, isoform-specific inhibitors that inhibit or reduce one or more isoform-associated activities, wherein the isoform-specific inhibitors include but are not limited to, binding molecules (also referred to herein as "isoform-binding molecules") that specifically interact with, e.g., bind to, one or more isoforms (e.g., isoform polypeptides or nucleic acids encoding the same) that arise from, e.g., one or more of: alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or post-translational events, thereby resulting in different transcription or translation products. In one embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitors specifically bind to, and/or inhibit the activity of,

one or more isoforms expressed and/or associated with oncogenic or malignant phenotypes (referred to herein as "oncogenic isoforms"). For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor can be an oncogenic isoform-binding molecule, e.g., an antibody molecule or a nucleic acid inhibitor that specifically 5 interacts with, e.g., binds to, one or more oncogenic isoforms (e.g., oncogenic isoform polypeptides or nucleic acids encoding the same). In another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is a soluble receptor polypeptide or a fusion form thereof, or a peptide or a functional variant thereof that 10 reduces or inhibits one or more isoform- (e.g., oncogenic isoform-) associated activities.

The oncogenic isoforms can arise from, e.g., alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or post-translational events, of various proto-oncogene expression products 15 in a cell, e.g., a hyperproliferative cell (e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell). The isoform-binding molecules described herein specifically bind to such oncogenic isoforms, and do not substantially bind to the proto-oncogene from which the isoform is derived. In certain embodiments, the isoform-binding 20 molecule (e.g., an antibody molecule) specifically interacts with, e.g., binds to, an oncogenic isoform of fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 (FGFR2) (e.g., an oncogenic FGFR2 isoform IIIc). In other embodiments, the isoform-binding molecules described herein specifically bind to an oncogenic 25 isoform of fibroblast growth factor receptor 1 (FGFR1) (e.g., an oncogenic FGFR1L); RON receptor tyrosine kinase (c-met-related tyrosine kinase) (e.g., an oncogenic RON receptor tyrosine kinase comprising a deletion of exons 5 and 6); KIT receptor tyrosine kinase (e.g., an oncogenic KIT 30 receptor tyrosine kinase comprising a deletion in exon 11); platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) (e.g., an oncogenic PDGF isoform having a deletion in exon 6); or PDGF-receptor alpha (e.g., an oncogenic PDGF-receptor alpha comprising a deletion of exons 7 and 8). Thus, the binding molecules 35 that specifically bind to an oncogenic isoform provided herein can be used to identify cancerous or tumor cells associated with expression of the oncogenic isoform.

Accordingly, the present invention provides, in part, isoform-specific inhibitors (e.g., antibody molecules, soluble 40 receptor polypeptides and fusion forms thereof, peptides and functional variants thereof, and nucleic acid inhibitors), pharmaceutical compositions thereof, as well as nucleic acids, recombinant expression vectors and host cells for making such isoform-binding molecules. In certain embodiments, the 45 isoform-specific inhibitors selectively bind to and/or reduce, inhibit or otherwise block an interaction of an oncogenic isoform with a ligand or co-receptor, thereby reducing or inhibiting oncogenic activity. In some embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitors compete for binding of a cognate 50 ligand (e.g., FGF8b) to the isoform (e.g., FGFR2-IIIc). In other embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitors act as dominant negative competitors, e.g., a dominant negative competitor that binds to the isoform but does not produce intracellular signal. In other embodiments, the isoform-binding molecules may selectively target a cytotoxic or cytostatic agent to a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancer or tumor cell. The isoform-specific inhibitors disclosed herein can be used to treat, prevent and/or diagnose cancerous or malignant conditions and/or disorders, such as cancers or tumors (primary, 60 recurring or metastasizing), including but not limited to, prostatic, bladder, breast, pancreatic, ovarian, brain (glioblastoma) and gastrointestinal cancers. Methods of using the isoform-binding molecules of the invention to detect oncogenic isoforms, to reduce the activity and/or or kill a hyperproliferative cell expressing an oncogenic isoform in vitro, ex vivo or in vivo are also encompassed by the invention. Diagnostic

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and/or screening methods and kits for evaluating the function or expression of an oncogenic isoform are also disclosed.

Accordingly, in one aspect, the invention features an isoform-specific inhibitor (e.g., an antibody molecule, a soluble receptor polypeptide or a fusion form thereof), which interacts with, or more preferably specifically binds to, one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof. Typical isoform-binding molecules bind to one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, with high affinity, e.g., with an affinity constant of at least about 10⁷ M⁻¹, typically about $10^8 \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$, and more typically, about $10^9 \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$ to $10^{10} \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$ or stronger; and reduce and/or inhibit one or more activities of the isoforms, e.g., oncogenic isoforms, in a hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or malignant) cell and/or tissue. For example, the binding molecule may selectively and specifically reduce or inhibit an oncogenic isoform-associated activity chosen from one or more of: (i) binding of a ligand or co-receptor (e.g., FGF ligand, e.g., FGF8b, FGF2, FGF17 or FGF18 to FGFR2 isoform IIIc); (ii) receptor dimerization (e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc dimerization); (iii) isoform signaling, e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc signaling; (iv) hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell proliferation, growth and/or survival, for example, by induction of apoptosis of the hyperproliferative cell; and/or (v) angiogenesis and/or vascularization of a tumor. In certain embodiments, the inhibitor may exert its effects directly in the hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or malignant) cell and/or tissue (e.g., inducing cell killing or apoptosis directly). In other embodiments, the inhibitor can exert its effects by acting on proximal cells, e.g., cells in the vicinity, of the hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or malignant) cell and/or tissue. For example, the inhibitor may reduce the angiogenesis and/or vascularization of a tumor tissue.

In one embodiment, the isoform-binding molecule is an antibody molecule that binds to a mammalian, e.g., human, isoform polypeptide or a fragment thereof. For example, the antibody molecule binds to an isoform polypeptide or fragment expressed and/or associated with a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an epitope, e.g., a linear or conformational epitope, located or expressed primarily on the surface of a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell. In embodiments, the epitope recognized by the antibody molecule is expressed or associated with a hyperproliferative disease, e.g., a cancerous or malignant disease. For example, the epitope recognized by the antibody molecule is expressed or associated with an exon sequence predominantly expressed or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders; the epitope may be located at the junctional region between two exons that are predominantly joined together in one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders, e.g., as a result of an in-frame exon deletion or the use of an alternatively spliced exon. Exemplary isoform polypeptides or fragments recognized by isoform-binding molecules of the invention include, but are not limited to, oncogenic isoforms of FGFR2, FGFR1, RON receptor tyrosine kinase, KIT receptor tyrosine kinase, PDGF and PDGF-receptor alpha.

In one embodiment, the antibody molecule binds to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of FGFR2, e.g., human FGFR2. The antibody molecule can bind specifically to FGFR2 isoform IIIc or a fragment thereof, e.g., does not substantially bind to other non-oncogenic isoforms of the FGF receptors, such as other alternative splice variants of FGFR2 (e.g., FGFR2 IIIb (SEQ ID NO: 21), FGFR2 isoform 4 (SEQ ID NO: 22), FGFR2 isoform 7 (SEQ ID NO: 23), FGFR2 isoform 9 (SEQ ID NO: 24), FGFR2 isoform 10 (SEQ ID NO: 25), FGFR2 isoform 11 (SEQ ID NO: 26), FGFR2 isoform 12 (SEQ ID NO: 27), FGFR2 isoform 13

(SEQ ID NO: 28), FGFR2 isoform 14 (SEQ ID NO: 29), FGFR2 isoform 15 (SEQ ID NO: 30), FGFR isoform 17 (SEQ ID NO: 31), FGFR2 isoform 18 (SEQ ID NO: 52), or FGFR2 isoform 19 (SEQ ID NO: 53)). For example, the antibody molecule binds preferentially to FGFR2 isoform 5 IIIc or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% crossreactivity with) FGFR2 isoform IIIb, e.g., about amino acids 314 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (HSGINSSNAE-VLALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQ; SEQ ID NO: 56); about amino acids 314 to 328 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (HSGINSSNAEVLALF; SEQ ID NO: 57); or about amino acids 340 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (CK-VSNYIGQANQ; SEQ ID NO: 58). In those embodiments, the antibody molecule binds specifically to at least one or 15 more amino acids (e.g., at least one epitope) located in the alternative spliced form of Exon III, e.g., from about amino acids 301 to 360 of FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO:2); about amino acids 314 to 324 of FGFR2-IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEI, SEQ ID NO:4); about amino acids 328 to 337 of FGFR2-IIIc (YIRN- 20 VTFEDA, SEQ ID NO:6); about amino acids 350 to 353 of FGFR2-IIIc (ISFH, SEQ ID NO:8); about amino acid residues 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEIEVL YIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH(SEQ ID NO: 84)); or about amino acids 341 to 353 of FGFR2-IIIc (TCLA- 25 GNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86), or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 3, 5, 7, 83, or 85; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to one, two, three, four, five, six, 30 seven, eight, nine, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-two or more of: alanine at position 1, alanine at position 2, valine at position 4, threonine at position 6, threonine at position 7, aspartate at position 8, lysine at position 9, isoleucine at position 11, glutamate at position 12, 35 valine at position 13, tyrosine at position 15, isoleucine at position 16, arginine at position 17, phenylalanine at position 21, glutamate at position 22, threonine at position 28, leucine at position 30, alanine at position 31, glycine at position 32, serine at position 34, isoleucine at position 37, serine at posi- 40 tion 38, phenylalanine at position 39, or histidine at position 40 of SEQ ID NO: 84 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVT FEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 84)); or one or more of: threonine at position 1, leucine at position 3, alanine 45 at position 4, glycine at position 5, serine at position 7, isoleucine at position 10, serine at position 11, phenylalanine at position 12, or histidine at position 13 of SEQ ID NO: 86 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in $\underline{T}C$ LAGNSIGISFH; SEQ ID NO: 86).

Exemplary anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecules within the scope of the invention are disclosed in Examples 8-15. In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to, e.g., selectively binds to, mammalian, e.g., human FGFR2-IIIc (e.g., an epitope located in the extracellular 55 domain of human FGFR2-IIIc at about amino acids 301 to 360 of FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO:2), or a sequence that is at least 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto). In certain embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to one or more amino acid residues chosen from 60 (e.g., an epitope comprising amino acid residues) residues (AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYT-CLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 84)); or amino acids TCLA-GNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO:86), of human FGFR2-IIIc, or a modified form thereof (e.g., a fragment or substituted (e.g., 65 conservatively substituted) form thereof). In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to a syn6

thetic, recombinant or native epitope on the extracellular domain of human FGFR2-IIIc. In certain embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to the native FGFR2-IIIc present in a prostate cancer cell, e.g., a human prostate cancer cell (e.g., DU145 human prostate cancer cell line), or a rat prostate cancer cell line (e.g., AT3B-1 rat prostate cancer cell line).

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule preferentially to FGFR2 isoform IIIc or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reactivity with) FGFR2 isoform IIIb, e.g., the extracellular domain of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (e.g., about amino acids 314 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (HSGINSSNAEVLALFN-VTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQ; SEQ ID NO: 56); about amino acids 314 to 328 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (HSGINSSNAEVLALF; SEQ ID NO: 57); or about amino acids 340 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (CKVS-NYIGQANQ; SEQ ID NO: 58).

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule shows a preferential binding to human FGFR2-IIIc as any of the monoclonal antibodies shown in FIGS. 24A-24B, 25A-25B, 27A-27B, 28, 29A-29F, 30A-30F, 32-39, and 41-44. For example, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule shows the same or similar binding selectivity as any of clones B7 (also referred to herein as "Atto-MuMab-03"), C5, D2, D10, E3, E8, F3, F10 or G9 of FIG. 24A-24B or 32; or any of human clones 1 (also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-01"), 2, 6 (also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-06"), 7 or 8 (also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-08") of FIGS. 25A-25B, 27A-27B, 28, 29A-29F, 30A-30F, 37-39, and/or 41-44. In other embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule shows the same or similar binding selectivity as Atto-MuMab-01 or Atto-MuMab-02 (VH and VL shown in FIGS. 33, 34A-34B, 35, and 36A-36B). In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule shows the same or similar binding selectivity as human clones 1, 6 or 8 of FIGS. 25A-25B, 27A-27B, 28-29, 30A-30F, 37-39, and/ or 41-44 (Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, Atto-HuMab-08, respectively). In one embodiment, the FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds specifically to human FGFR2-IIIc, and competitively inhibits the binding of a second antibody molecule to FGFR2-IIIc, wherein the second antibody molecule can be an antibody molecule chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08.

An amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone-6 (Atto-HuMab-06) and Clone-8 (Atto-HuMab-08) is shown in FIG. **28**. The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively.

An amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone-1 (Atto-HuMab-01) and Clone-6 (Atto-HuMab-06) is shown in FIG. **38**. The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively.

An amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone-1 (Atto-HuMab-01) and Clone-8 (Atto-HuMab-08) is shown in FIG. **39**. The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively.

The nucleotide and amino acid sequence for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-

HuMab-08) is shown in FIGS. **29**A-**29**B, respectively. The nucleotide and amino acid sequence of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08) is shown in FIGS. **29**C-**29**D, respectively. The nucleotide and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08) is shown in FIGS. **29**E-**29**F, respectively.

The nucleotide and amino acid sequence for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06) is shown in FIGS. 30A-30B, respectively. The nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06) is shown in FIGS. 30C-30D. The nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06) is shown in FIGS. 30E-30F. The relative location of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) is underlined in the aforesaid Figures.

The amino acid sequence for the light and heavy chain variable domains of Atto-MuMab-02 is shown in FIG. **35** (SEQ ID NO: 90 and 88, respectively). The relative locations of the CDRs in the heavy and light chain variable regions are indicated in FIG. **35**. The nucleotide sequences encoding the heavy and light chain variable domains of Atto-MuMab-02 are shown in FIGS. **34**A and **34**B (SEQ ID NO: 87 and 89), respectively.

The amino acid and nucleotide sequences for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and 30 the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 1 (Atto-HuMab-01) are shown in FIGS. 37A-37B (SEQ ID NOs: 190-191), respectively. The amino acid sequence of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 1 (Atto-HuMab-01) is shown in FIGS. 38-39) (corresponding to 35 amino acids 1-111 of the upper amino acid sequence, prior to the linker region). The amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 1 (Atto-HuMab-01) is shown in FIGS. 38-39 (corresponding to amino acids 133-252 of the upper amino acid sequence, after 40 the linker region). The relative location of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) is underlined and indicated in the aforesaid Figures. FIG. 40 is a table depicting a comparison of the CDR regions (heavy and light chain CDRs) among Atto-HuMab-01, -06, and -08).

In yet other embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule has one or more biological properties of any of clones B7 (Atto-MuMab-03), C5, D2, D10, E3, E8, F3, F10 or G9 of FIG. **24A-24B** or **32**; or any of human clones 1 (Atto-HuMab-01), 2, 6 (Atto-HuMab-06), 7 or 8 (Atto-HuMab-08) of FIGS. **25A-25B**, **27A-27B**, **28-29**, **30A-30F**, **37-39**, and/or **41-44**, and in particular, antibodies Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, including but not limited to:

- (i) the antibody molecule binds to the same or a similar epitope on human FGFR2-IIIc as antibody Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-HuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08 (e.g., the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule competes for binding with monoclonal antibodies Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08);
- (ii) binds to at least one amino acid residue of 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYT-CLAGNSIGISHUSEQ ID NO: 84)); or at least one amino 65 acid residue of TCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86) of human FGFR2-IIIc;

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- (iii) binds preferentially to at least one amino acid residue present in human FGFR2-IIIc, but not in human FGFR2-IIIb (e.g., one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-two or more of: alanine at position 1, alanine at position 2, valine at position 4, threonine at position 6, threonine at position 7, aspartate at position 8, lysine at position 9, isoleucine at position 11, glutamate at position 12, valine at position 13, tyrosine at position 15, isoleucine at position 16, arginine at position 17, phenylalanine at position 21, glutamate at position 22, threonine at position 28, leucine at position 30, alanine at position 31, glycine at position 32, serine at position 34, isoleucine at position 37, serine at position 38, phenylalanine at position 39, or histidine at position 40 of SEQ ID NO: 84 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGN in SIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 84)); or one, two, three, four, five, six or more of: threonine at position 1, leucine at position 3, alanine at position 4, glycine at position 5, serine at position 20 7, isoleucine at position 10, serine at position 11, phenylalanine at position 12, or histidine at position 13 of SEQ ID NO: 86 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in TCLAGNSIGISFH; SEQ ID NO: 86);
- (iv) binds to recombinant, synthetic or native human 25 FGFR2-IIIc;
 - (v) binds to native FGFR2-IIIc present on a prostate or liver cancer cell, e.g., a human prostate cancer cell (e.g., DU145 human prostate cancer cell line), or liver cell line HepG2;
 - (vi) shows the same or similar binding selectivity to human FGFR2-IIIc as monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08;
 - (vii) shows the same or similar binding affinity as monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08; and/or
 - (viii) shows the same or similar binding kinetics as monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08.

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule is the monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08.

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule binds to FGFR2-IIIc with high affinity, e.g., with a Kd less than $10^{-7}\,\rm M,\,10^{-8},\,10^{-9},\,10^{-10},\,10^{-11}\rm M$ or better. In other embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibodies or fragments thereof can reduce one or more FGFR2-IIIc-associated activities with an IC50 of at least about $10^{-8},\,10^{-9},\,10^{-10},\,10^{-11}\rm M$ or better. In other embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibodies or fragments thereof associate with human FGFR2-IIIc with kinetics in the range of k_{off} of less than 1×10 s $^{-1}$ to $1\times10^{-6}\,\rm s^{-1}$ as determined by surface plasmon resonance (SPR), or a k_{on} of between 10^3 and $10^7\,\rm M^{-1}\,\rm s^{-1}$ as determined by surface plasmon resonance (SPR). The affinity and binding kinetics of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody or fragment thereof can be tested using, e.g., biosensor technology (BIA-CORE).

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule is a full antibody or fragment thereof (e.g., a Fab, $F(ab')_2$, Fv, or a single chain Fv fragment (scFv)). In certain embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule is a monoclonal antibody or an antibody with single specificity. The anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule can also be a human, humanized, chimeric, camelid, shark, or in vitro-generated antibody molecules. In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-

IIIc antibody molecule thereof is a humanized antibody molecule. The heavy and light chains of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule can be full-length (e.g., an antibody can include at least one, and preferably two, complete heavy chains, and at least one, and preferably two, complete light 5 chains) or can include an antigen-binding fragment (e.g., a Fab, F(ab')₂, Fv, a single chain Fv fragment, a single domain antibody, a diabody (dAb), a bivalent or bispecific antibody or fragment thereof, a single domain variant thereof, or a camelid antibody). In yet other embodiments, the antibody molecule has a heavy chain constant region (Fc) chosen from, e.g., the heavy chain constant regions of IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, IgG4, IgM, IgA1, IgA2, IgD, and IgE; particularly, chosen from, e.g., the heavy chain constant regions of IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, and IgG4, more particularly, the heavy chain constant 15 region of IgG1 or IgG2 (e.g., human IgG1 or IgG2). In one embodiment, the heavy chain constant region is human IgG1. In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule has a light chain constant region chosen from, e.g., the light chain constant regions of kappa or lambda, preferably 20 kappa (e.g., human kappa). In one embodiment, the constant region is altered, e.g., mutated, to modify the properties of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule (e.g., to increase or decrease one or more of: Fc receptor binding, antibody glycosylation, the number of cysteine residues, effector cell 25 function, or complement function). For example, the constant region is mutated at positions 296 (M to Y), 298 (S to T), 300 (T to E), 477 (H to K) and 478 (N to F) of SEQ ID NO: 55 to alter Fc receptor binding.

In certain embodiments, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc is covalently 30 linked to a cell-surface protein (e.g., phage) or soluble secreted form (e.g., scFv or fusion thereof). In other embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc is secreted as a single chain Fv or is fused to an Fc constant region (e.g., to form a monomeric or dimeric chain construct of a human IgG1 Fc fusion).

In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one antigen-binding region, e.g., a variable region, from an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08. In yet 40 another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, three or four variable regions from an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08. In another embodiment, the 45 anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one or two heavy chain variable regions from an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08. In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule 50 includes at least one or two light chain variable regions from an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08. In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, 55 two, or three complementarity determining regions (CDRs) from a heavy chain variable region of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, or at least particularly the amino acids from those CDRs that 60 contact FGFR2-IIIc. In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto- 65 HuMab-08, or at least includes the amino acids from those CDRs that contact FGFR2-IIIc. In yet another embodiment,

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the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, three, four, five, or six CDRs from the heavy and light chain variable regions of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08.

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes all six CDR's from Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, or closely related CDRs, e.g., CDRs which are identical or which have at least one amino acid alteration, but not more than two, three or four alterations (e.g., substitutions, deletions, or insertions, e.g., conservative substitutions). Optionally, the protein may include any CDR described herein.

In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, or three Chothia hypervariable loops from a heavy chain variable region of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, or at least particularly the amino acids from those hypervariable loops that contact FGFR2-IIIc. In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, or three hypervariable loops from a light chain variable region of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, or at least includes the amino acids from those hypervariable loops that contact FGFR2-IIIc. In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, three, four, five, or six hypervariable loops from the heavy and light chain variable regions of an antibody chosen from, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08.

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molscule includes all six hypervariable loops from FGFR2-IIIc or
closely related hypervariable loops, e.g., hypervariable loops
which are identical or which have at least one amino acid
alteration, but not more than two, three or four alterations
(e.g., substitutions, deletions, or insertions, e.g., conservative
substitutions). Optionally, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody
molecule may include any hypervariable loop described

In still another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one, two, or three hypervariable loops that have the same canonical structures as the corresponding hypervariable loop of Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, e.g., the same canonical structures as at least loop 1 and/or loop 2 of the heavy and/or light chain variable domains of Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08. See, e.g., Chothia et al., (1992) *J. Mol. Biol.* 227:776-798 for descriptions of hypervariable loop canonical structures. These structures can be determined by inspection of the tables described in these references.

In one embodiment, the light or the heavy chain variable framework (e.g., the region encompassing at least FR1, FR2, FR3, and optionally FR4) of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule can be chosen from: (a) a light or heavy chain variable framework including at least 80%, 85%, 87% 90%, 92%, 93%, 95%, 97%, 98%, or preferably 100% of the amino acid residues from a human light or heavy chain variable framework, e.g., a light or heavy chain variable framework residue from a human mature antibody, a human germline sequence, or a human consensus sequence; (b) a light or heavy chain variable framework including from 20% to 80%,

40% to 60%, 60% to 90%, or 70% to 95% of the amino acid residues from a human light or heavy chain variable framework, e.g., a light or heavy chain variable framework residue from a human mature antibody, a human germline sequence, or a human consensus sequence; (c) a non-human framework (e.g., a rodent framework); or (d) a non-human framework that has been modified, e.g., to remove antigenic or cytotoxic determinants, e.g., deimmunized, or partially humanized. In one embodiment, the light or heavy chain variable framework region (particularly FR1, FR2 and/or FR3) includes a light or heavy chain variable framework sequence at least 70, 75, 80, 85, 87, 88, 90, 92, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99% identical or identical to the frameworks of a VH segment of a human germline

In one embodiment, the heavy or light chain variable domain of the of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes an amino acid sequence, which is at least 80%, 85%, 90%, 92%, 95%, 97%, 98%, 99% or higher identical to a variable region of an antibody described herein, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08; or which differs at least 1 or 5 residues, but less than 40, 30, 20, or 10 residues, from a variable region of an antibody described herein, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-25 HuMab-08.

In one embodiment, the heavy or light chain variable region of the of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence described herein or a nucleic acid that hybridizes to 30 a nucleic acid sequence described herein (e.g., a specific nucleic acid sequence or a nucleic acid sequence that encodes an amino acid sequence described herein) or its complement, e.g., under low stringency, medium stringency, or high stringency, or other hybridization condition described herein.

In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, three, or four antigenbinding regions, e.g., variable regions, having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29B, 29D, 29F, 30B, 30D, 30F, 35, 36A, 36B, 37A, 38, or 39, or a sequence substantially identical thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, or which differs by no more than 1, 2, 5, 10, or 15 amino acid residues from the sequences shown in FIG. 28, 29B, 29D, 29F, 30B, 30D, 30F, 35, 36A, 36B, 37A, 38, or 39. In another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes a VH and/or VL 45 domain encoded by a nucleic acid having a nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 29A, 29C, 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 34A, 34B, or 37B, or a sequence substantially identical thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, or which differs by no more than 3, 50 6, 15, 30, or 45 nucleotides from the sequences shown in FIG. 29A, 29C, 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 34A, 34B, or 37B.

In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29F, 30F, 35, or 38-40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29D, 30D, 35, or 38-40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, 65 two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In yet another embodiment, the

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anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, three, four, five or six CDRs from heavy and light chain variable regions having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29D, 29F, 30D, 30F, 35, or 38-40), or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions).

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino acid sequence of Atto-HuMab-01 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs:147-149, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), Atto-HuMab-06 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs: 147, 158,159, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), or Atto-HuMab-08 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs:147-149, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), as set forth in FIG. 40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence of Atto-HuMab-01 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs:144-146, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), Atto-HuMab-06 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs:155-157, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), or Atto-HuMab-08 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs:155, 156, 146, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively), as set forth in FIG. 40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions).

In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino acid sequence chosen from:

(SEQ ID NO: 147)

SSYAIS in CDR1,

RIIPIX₁G X₂ANYAQKFQGR, wherein X₁ is F or L, and X₂ is T or I in CDR2 (SEQ ID NO:153), or

 $RDX_1X_2X_3WX_4X_5X_6FDX_7$ in CDR3, wherein X_1 is R or $P, X_2 \text{ is } W \text{ or } L, X_3 \text{ is } D \text{ or } L, X_4 \text{ is } N \text{ or } S, X_5 \text{ is } D \text{ or absent},$ X_6 is A or Y, and X_7 is I or Y (SEQ ID NO:154).

In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence chosen from:

SGSSSNIG $X_1N X_2V X_3$ in CDR1, wherein X_1 is S or N, X_2 is T or Y, and X_3 is S or N, (SEQ ID NO:150),

 $X_1NNX_2RPSGX_3$ in CDR2, wherein X_1 is S or D, X_2 is Q

or K_1 , and X_3 is V or \tilde{I} (SEQ ID NO:151), or $X_1 X_2 WD X_3 SL X_4 X_5 VV$, wherein X_1 is A or G, X_2 is A or T, X_3 is D or S, X_4 is N or S, and X_5 is G or A, in CDR3 (SEQ ID NO:152).

In yet another embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule comprises:

(i) at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino acid sequence chosen from:

(SEQ ID NO: 147)

SSYAIS in CDR1,

RIIPIX₁G X₂ANYAQKFQGR, wherein X₁ is F or L, and X₂ is T or I in CDR2 (SEQ ID NO:153), or

 $RDX_1X_2X_3WX_4X_5X_6FDX_7$ in CDR3, wherein X_1 is R or P, X₂ is W or L, X₃ is D or L, X₄ is N or S, X₅ is D or absent, X_6 is A or Y, and X_7 is I or Y (SEQ ID NO:154); and

(ii) at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence chosen from: SGSSSNIG $X_1N X_2V X_3$ in CDR1, wherein X_1 is S or N, X_2 is T or Y, and X_3 is S or N, (SEQ ID NO:150),

 $X_1NN X_2RPSG X_3$ in CDR2, wherein X_1 is S or D, X_2 is Q 5 or K, and X₃ is V or I (SEQ ID NO:151), or

 $X_1 X_2 WD X_3 SLX_4 X_5 VV$, wherein X_1 is A or G, X_2 is A or T, X_3 is D or S, X_4 is N or S, and X_5 is G or A, in CDR3 (SEQ ID NO:152).

In one embodiment, the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody mol- 10 ecule comprises all six CDRs described herein, e.g., described in FIG. 40. The invention also features nucleic acids comprising nucleotide sequences that encode heavy and light chain variable regions and CDRs of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecules, as described herein. For example, the 15 invention features a first and second nucleic acid encoding heavy and light chain variable regions, respectively, of an anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule chosen from one or more of, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, described herein. For example, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 29A, 29C, 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 34A, 34B, or 37B, or a sequence substantially identical thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, or which differs by no 25 more than 3, 6, 15, 30, or 45 nucleotides from the sequences shown in FIG. 29A, 29C, 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 34A, 34B, or 37B. In certain embodiments, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino 30 acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29F, 30F, 35, or 38-40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitu-In another embodiment, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29D, 30D, 35, or 38-40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence 40 at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In yet another embodiment, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, three, four, five, or six 45 CDRs from heavy and light chain variable regions having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 28, 29D, 29F, 30D, 30F, 35, or 38-40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one, two, three or 50 more substitutions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions).

In another aspect, the application features host cells and vectors containing the nucleic acids described herein. The nucleic acids may be present in a single vector or separate 55 vectors present in the same host cell or separate host cell.

The epitope of FGFR2-IIIc, e.g., human FGFR2-IIIc, recognized by one or more of, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01 or Atto-MuMab-02, is featured. In one embodiment, the epitope of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule includes at least one 60 amino acid residue of 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVN TTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 84)); or at least one amino acid residue of TCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86). In one embodiment, the epitope of human FGFR2-IIIc comprises one, two, three, 65 four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-two or more of: alanine at

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position 1, alanine at position 2, valine at position 4, threonine at position 6, threonine at position 7, aspartate at position 8, lysine at position 9, isoleucine at position 11, glutamate at position 12, valine at position 13, tyrosine at position 15, isoleucine at position 16, arginine at position 17, phenylalanine at position 21, glutamate at position 22, threonine at position 28, leucine at position 30, alanine at position 31, glycine at position 32, serine at position 34, isoleucine at position 37, serine at position 38, phenylalanine at position 39, or histidine at position 40 of SEQ ID NO: 84 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in AAGVN TTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH

(SEQ ID NO: 84)); or one or more of: threonine at position 1, leucine at position 3, alanine at position 4, glycine at position 5, serine at position 7, isoleucine at position 10, serine at position 11, phenylalanine at position 12, or histidine at position 13 of SEQ ID NO: 86 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in TCLAGNSIGISFH; SEQ ID NO: 86).

In embodiments, the antibody molecule inhibits, reduces Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-HuMab-06, or Atto-HuMab-08, as 20 or neutralizes one or more activities of the isoforms, e.g., oncogenic isoforms, in a hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell and/or tissue. For example, the antibody molecule may selectively and specifically reduce or inhibit an oncogenic isoform-associated activity chosen from one or more of: (i) binding of a ligand or co-receptor (e.g., FGF ligand (e.g., FGF8b, FGF2, FGF17 or FGF18)) to FGFR2 isoform IIIc); (ii) receptor dimerization (e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc dimerization); (iii) receptor signaling, e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc signaling; (iv) hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell proliferation, growth and/or survival, for example, by induction of apoptosis of the hyperproliferative cell; and/or (v) angiogenesis and/or vascularization of a tumor. In certain embodiments, the antibody molecule is conjugated to one or more cytotoxic or cytostatic agents or moitions, insertions or deletions, e.g., conserved substitutions). 35 eties, e.g., a therapeutic drug; a compound emitting radiation; molecules of plant, fungal, or bacterial origin, or a biological protein (e.g., a protein toxin); or a particle (e.g., a recombinant viral particle, e.g., via a viral coat protein). Upon binding of the conjugated antibody molecule to an epitope located on an exon sequence or a junctional region predominantly expressed and/or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders (e.g., an epitope as described herein), the conjugated antibody molecule selectively targets or delivers the cytotoxic or cytostatic agent to the hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell and/or tissue. In other embodiments, the antibody molecule can be used alone in unconjugated form to thereby reduce an activity (e.g., cell growth or proliferation) and/or kill the hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell and/or tissue by, e.g., antibody-dependent cell killing mechanisms, such as complement-mediated cell lysis and/or effector cell-mediated cell killing. In other embodiments, the antibody molecule can disrupt a cellular interaction, e.g., binding of the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform, to a cognate receptor or ligand, thereby reducing or blocking the activity of the hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or tumor) cell and/or tissue. For example, the antibody molecule that selectively binds to exon IIIc of FGFR2 can reduce or inhibit the interaction of FGFR2 isoform IIIc to one or more of its ligands, e.g., one or more of: FGF8b, FGF2, FGF17 or FGF18, thus reducing the proliferation and/or survival of FGFR2 isoform IIIc-expressing cells.

> It will be understood that the antibody molecules, soluble or fusion proteins, peptides, and nucleic acid inhibitors described herein can be functionally linked or derivatized (e.g., by chemical coupling, genetic fusion, non-covalent association or otherwise) to one or more other molecular entities, such as an antibody (e.g., a bispecific or a multispe-

cific antibody), toxins, radioisotopes, cytotoxic or cytostatic agents, a label, among others. For example, the antibody molecules, soluble or fusion proteins, peptides, and nucleic acid inhibitors described herein can be coupled to a label, such as a fluorescent label, a biologically active enzyme label, 5 a radioisotope (e.g., a radioactive ion), a nuclear magnetic resonance active label, a luminescent label, or a chromophore. In other embodiments, the antibody molecules, soluble or fusion proteins and peptides described herein can be coupled to a therapeutic agent, e.g., a cytotoxic moiety (e.g., a therapeutic drug; a radioisotope: molecules of plant, fungal, or bacterial origin: or biological proteins (e.g., protein toxins); or particles (e.g., recombinant viral particles, e.g., via a viral coat protein); or mixtures thereof. The therapeutic agent can be an intracellularly active drug or other agent, such 15 as short-range radiation emitters, including, for example, short-rage, high-energy α -emitters, as described herein. In some preferred embodiments, the antibody molecules, soluble or fusion proteins and peptides described herein, can be coupled to a molecule of plant or bacterial origin (or 20 derivative thereof), e.g., a maytansinoid, a taxane, or a calicheamicin. A radioisotope can be an α -, β -, or γ -emitter, or an β- and γ-emitter. Radioisotopes useful as therapeutic agents include yttrium (90Y), lutetium (177Lu), actinium (225Ac), praseodymium, astatine (²¹¹At), rhenium (¹⁸⁶Re), bismuth 25 (²¹²Bi or ²¹³Bi), and rhodium (¹⁸⁸Rh). Radioisotopes useful as labels, e.g., for use in diagnostics, include iodine (131 or ¹²⁵I, indium (¹¹¹In) technetium (⁹⁹mTc), phosphorus (³²P), carbon (14C), and tritium (3H). The antibody molecules, soluble or fusion proteins and peptides described herein can 30 also be linked to another antibody to form, e.g., a bispecific or a multispecific antibody.

In another aspect, the invention provides, compositions, e.g., pharmaceutical compositions, which include a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, excipient or stabilizer, and at 35 least one of the isoform-specific inhibitors described herein. In one embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is conjugated to a label or a therapeutic agent. In one embodiment, the compositions, e.g., the pharmaceutical compositions, comprise a combination of two or more of the aforesaid the 40 isoform-specific inhibitors, or different antibody molecules. For example, a composition, e.g., pharmaceutical composition, which comprises an isoform-specific inhibitor as described herein, in combination with other growth factor inhibitors, such as antibodies against FGF 1-23, FGF recep- 45 tors 1-4, VEGF, EGF or EGF receptor, PSMA antibody, or Her-2/neu, etc. Combinations of an isoform-specific inhibitor and a drug, e.g., a therapeutic agent (e.g., a cytototoxic or cytostatic drug, e.g., DM1, calicheamicin, or taxanes, topoisomerase inhibitors, or an immunomodulatory agent, e.g., 50 IL-1, 2, 4, 6, or 12, interferon alpha or gamma, or immune cell growth factors such as GM-CSF) are also within the scope of

The invention also features nucleic acid sequences that encode the isoform-binding molecules described herein 55 described herein. For example, the invention features, a first and second nucleic acid encoding a modified heavy and light chain variable region, respectively, of an antibody molecule as described herein. In other embodiments, the invention provides nucleic acids comprising nucleotide sequences 60 encoding the soluble receptors, fusions, peptides and functional analogs thereof described herein. In another aspect, the invention features host cells and vectors containing the nucleic acids of the invention. The host cell can be a eukaryotic cell, e.g., a mammalian cell, an insect cell, a yeast cell, or 65 a prokaryotic cell, e.g., *E. coli*. For example, the mammalian cell can be a cultured cell or a cell line. Exemplary mamma-

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lian cells include lymphocytic cell lines (e.g., NS0), Chinese hamster ovary cells (CHO), COS cells, oocyte cells, and cells from a transgenic animal, e.g., mammary epithelial cell. For example, nucleic acids encoding the isoform binding molecule described herein can be expressed in a transgenic animal. In one embodiment, the nucleic acids are placed under the control of a tissue-specific promoter (e.g., a mammary specific promoter) and the antibody is produced in the transgenic animal. For example, the isoform binding molecule is secreted into the milk of the transgenic animal, such as a transgenic cow, pig, horse, sheep, goat or rodent.

In one aspect, the invention features a method of providing an isoform binding antibody molecule that specifically binds to an isoform (e.g., an oncogenic isoform) polypeptide. The method includes: providing a isoform-specific antigen (e.g., an antigen comprising at least a portion of an epitope as described herein); obtaining an antibody molecule that specifically binds to the isoform polypeptide; and evaluating if the antibody molecule specifically binds to the isoform polypeptide (e.g., evaluating if there is a decrease in binding between the antibody molecule and the isoform polypeptide in the present of one or more of the epitopes described herein), or evaluating efficacy of the antibody molecule in modulating, e.g., inhibiting, the activity of the isoform (e.g., an oncogenic isoform) polypeptide. The method can further include administering the antibody molecule to a subject, e.g., a human or non-human animal.

Isoform-specific epitopes, e.g., isolated epitopes, as described herein are also encompassed by the present invention. The epitopes can be linear or conformational protein of the isoform (e.g., oncogenic) isoform, e.g., from about 2 to 80, about 4 to 75, about 5 to 70, about 10 to 60, about 10 to 50, about 10 to 40, about 10 to 30, about 10 to 20, amino acid residues. In certain embodiments, the epitope consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence located at the junctional region between two exons that are predominantly joined together in protein isoforms expressed or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders, e.g., as a result of an in-frame exon deletion or the use of an alternatively spliced exon. For example, the epitope can consist of, or include, an amino acid sequence identical to the alternative spliced form of Exon III, e.g., from about amino acids 301 to 360 of FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO:2); about amino acids 314 to 324 of FGFR2-IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEI, SEQ ID NO:4); about amino acids 328 to 337 of FGFR2-IIIc (YIRNVTFEDA, SEQ ID NO:6); about amino acids 350 to 353 of FGFR2-IIIc (ISFH, SEO ID NO:8), or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 3, 5 or 7; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In other embodiments, the epitope of FGFR2-IIIc, e.g., human FGFR2-IIIc, can include or consist of at least one amino acid residue of 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVNTTD-KEIEVLYIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 84)); or at least one amino acid residue of TCLAGNSIG-ISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86). In one embodiment, the epitope of human FGFR2-IIIc comprises one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-two or more of: alanine at position 1, alanine at position 2, valine at position 4, threonine at position 6, threonine at position 7, aspartate at position 8, lysine at position 9, isoleucine at position 11, glutamate at position 12, valine at position 13, tyrosine at position 15, isoleucine at position 16, arginine at position 17, phenylalanine at position 21, glutamate at position 22, threonine at position 28, leucine at position 30, alanine at position 31, glycine at position 32, serine at position 34, isoleucine at position 37, serine at position 38, phenylalanine at position 39, or histidine at position

40 of SEQ ID NO: 84 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in <u>AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIR</u>NVT <u>FEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH</u>(SEQ ID NO: 84)); or one or more of: threonine at position 1, leucine at position 3, alanine at position 4, glycine at position 5, serine at position 7, isoleucine at position 10, serine at position 11, phenylalanine at position 12, or histidine at position 13 of SEQ ID NO: 86 (corresponding to the highlighted amino acid residues in <u>TCLAGNSIGISFH</u>; SEQ ID NO: 86).

The invention also features a method of reducing the activ- 10 ity (e.g., cell growth or proliferation), or inducing the killing (e.g., inducing apoptosis of), a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell (e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell expressing an oncogenic isoform, such as FGFR2-IIIc and exon deleted-isoforms of FGFR1, RON, KIT, PDGF and 15 PDGFR-alpha, as described herein). The method includes contacting the hyperproliferative cell, or a cell (e.g., a vascular cell) in proximity to the hyperproliferative cell, with one or more isoform-specific inhibitors as described herein, e.g., an isoform-specific antibody molecule described herein, in an 20 amount sufficient to reduce the expression or activity of the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform, thereby reducing the activity of, or killing, the hyperproliferative cell. The isoform-specific inhibitors as described herein can be used in conjugated or unconjugated form, alone as a monotherapy or 25 in combination with one or more therapeutic agents, to thereby kill, or reduce the activity, e.g., inhibit cell growth of, the hyperproliferative cell.

In embodiments, the isoform-binding molecule is an antibody molecule that specifically binds to FGFR2-IIIc, e.g., an 30 antibody molecule that specifically binds to an amino acid sequence identical to the alternative spliced form of Exon III, e.g., from about amino acids 301 to 360 of FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO:2); about amino acids 314 to 324 of FGFR2-IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEI, SEQ ID NO:4); about amino acids 328 to 35 337 of FGFR2-IIIc (YIRNVTFEDA, SEQ ID NO:6); about amino acids 350 to 353 of FGFR2-IIIc (ISFH, SEQ ID NO:8), or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 3, 5 or 7; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In such embodi- 40 ments, the hyperproliferative cell is a cancerous or tumor cell from the prostate, breast, pancreas, ovary, brain (glioblastoma), gastric cancers, lung squamous cell carcinoma, nonsmall cell lung carcinoma, thyroid cancer, endometrial carcinoma, hematopoietic cancers, and skeletal disorders, such as 45 craniofacial dysostosis 1, Crouzon syndrome, Pfeiffer syndrome, Jackson-Weiss syndrome and Apert syndrome.

The methods can be used on cells in culture, e.g., in vitro or ex vivo. For example, hyperproliferative cells (e.g., cancerous or metastatic cells (e.g., prostatic, renal, urothelial (e.g., bladder), testicular, ovarian, breast, colon, rectal, lung (e.g., nonsmall cell lung carcinoma), liver, brain, neural (e.g., neuroendocrine), glial (e.g., glioblastoma), pancreatic, melanoma (e.g., malignant melanoma), or soft tissue sarcoma cancerous or metastatic cells) can be cultured in vitro in culture medium and the contacting step can be effected by adding the isoform binding molecule, to the culture medium. Alternatively, the method can be performed on hyperproliferative cells present in a subject, as part of an in vivo (e.g., therapeutic or prophylactic) protocol.

Methods of the invention can be used, for example, to treat or prevent a hyperproliferative disorder, e.g., a cancer (primary, recurring or metastasizing) of, e.g. prostate, breast, pancreas and brain (glioblastoma), by administering to a subject an isoform-specific inhibitor described herein, in an 65 amount effective to treat or prevent such disorder. In one embodiment, the cancer is an adenocarcinoma or carcinoma

of the prostate and/or testicular tumors. For example, the cancer is hormone-resistant or refractory prostate cancer. In one embodiment, the cancer is an androgen-resistant or refractory prostate cancer associated with elevated expression of FGFR2-IIIc. For example, the cancer shows elevated level or expression of FGFR2-IIIc protein or mRNA compared to a reference value (e.g., a non-cancerous prostatic tissue), optionally, accompanied by a reduction in one or more epithelial markers (e.g., reduction in the level or expression of epithelial cell surface adhesion molecules (Ep-CAM) and/or gain of mesenchymal markers. In certain embodiments, the cancer is a metastatic cancer showing elevated levels of prostate-derived circulating tumor cells (e.g., prostate-derived circulating FGFR2IIIc-expressing prostatic tumor cells). Methods and compositions disclosed herein are particularly useful for treating metastatic lesions associated with prostate cancer. In some embodiments, the patient will have undergone one or more of prostatectomy, chemotherapy, or other anti-tumor therapy and the primary or sole target will be metastatic lesions, e.g., metastases in the bone marrow or lymph nodes.

In other embodiments, the cancer treated with the isoformspecific inhibitor(s) described herein includes, but is not limited to, solid tumors, soft tissue tumors, and metastatic lesions. Examples of solid tumors include malignancies, e.g., sarcomas, adenocarcinomas, and carcinomas, of the various organ systems, such as those affecting lung, breast, lymphoid, gastrointestinal (e.g., colon), genitals and genitourinary tract (e.g., renal, urothelial, bladder cells), pharynx, CNS (e.g., brain, neural or glial cells), skin (e.g., melanoma), and pancreas, as well as adenocarcinomas which include malignancies such as most colon cancers, rectal cancer, renal-cell carcinoma, liver cancer, non-small cell-carcinoma of the lung, cancer of the small intestine and cancer of the esophagus. Methods and compositions disclosed herein are particularly useful for treating metastatic lesions associated with the aforementioned cancers. In some embodiments, the patient will have undergone one or more of surgical removal of a tissue, chemotherapy, or other anti-cancer therapy and the primary or sole target will be metastatic lesions, e.g., metastases in the bone marrow or lymph nodes. For example, a reduction in expression or activity of an FGFR2-IIIc oncogenic isoform can be used to prevent and/or treat hormonerefractory prostate cancer, breast cancer, bladder cancer, thyroid cancer, or other form of cancer.

In one embodiment, the subject is treated to prevent a hyperproliferative disorder, e.g., a hyperproliferative disorder as described herein. The subject can be a mammal, e.g., a primate, preferably a higher primate, e.g., a human (e.g., a patient having, or at risk of, a hyperproliferative disorder described herein, e.g., a prostatic cancer disorder). In one embodiment, the subject is a patient having prostate cancer (e.g., a patient suffering from recurrent or metastatic prostate cancer). The subject can be one at risk for the disorder, e.g., a subject having a relative afflicted with the disorder, e.g., a subject with one or more of a grandparent, parent, uncle or aunt, sibling, or child who has or had the disorder, or a subject having a genetic trait associated with risk for the disorder. In one embodiment, the subject can be symptomatic or asymptomatic. For example, the subject can suffer from symptomatic or asymptomatic prostatic cancer, e.g., hormone-resistant or refractory prostate cancer. In some embodiments, the subject suffers from metastatic prostate cancer. In some embodiments, the subject has elevated levels of prostate-derived circulating tumor cells (e.g., prostate-derived circulating FGFR2IIIc-expressing prostatic tumor cells). In other embodiments, the subject has abnormal levels of one or more

markers for a cancer, e.g., prostatic cancer. For example, the subject has abnormal levels of prostate-specific antigen (PSA), prostate specific membrane antigen (PSMA), prostate stem cell antigen (PSCA), androgen receptor (AR), chromogranin, synaptophysin, MIB-1, and/or α -methylacyl-CoA 5 racemase (AMACR).

The isoform-specific inhibitors described herein can be administered to the subject systemically (e.g., orally, parenterally, subcutaneously, intravenously, rectally, intramuscularly, intraperitoneally, intranasally, transdermally, or 10 by inhalation or intracavitary installation), topically, or by application to mucous membranes, such as the nose, throat and bronchial tubes.

The methods of the invention, e.g., methods of treatment or preventing, can further include the step of monitoring the 15 subject, e.g., for a change (e.g., an increase or decrease) in one or more of: tumor size; levels of a cancer marker (e.g., level or expression of FGFR2IIIc; levels of circulating prostate-derived FGFR2IIIc-expressing cells, epithelial cell markers (Ep-CAM), FGF ligands (e.g., FGF8), stromal derived factor 20 α (SDFα), VEGF (e.g., VEGF121), mesenchymal markers, PSA, PSMA, PSCA, AR, chromogranin, synaptophysin, MIB-1, AMACR, alkaline phosphatase, and/or serum hemoglobin for a patient with prostate cancer); the rate of appearance of new lesions, e.g., in a bone scan; the appearance of 25 new disease-related symptoms; the size of soft tissue mass, e.g., a decreased or stabilization; quality of life, e.g., amount of disease associated pain, e.g., bone pain; or any other parameter related to clinical outcome. The subject can be monitored in one or more of the following periods: prior to 30 beginning of treatment; during the treatment; or after one or more elements of the treatment have been administered. Monitoring can be used to evaluate the need for further treatment with the same isoform-binding molecule or for additional treatment with additional agents. Generally, a decrease 35 in one or more of the parameters described above is indicative of the improved condition of the subject, although with serum hemoglobin levels, an increase can be associated with the improved condition of the subject.

The methods of the invention can further include the step of 40 analyzing a nucleic acid or protein from the subject, e.g., analyzing the genotype of the subject. In one embodiment, a nucleic acid encoding the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform, and/or an upstream or downstream component(s) of the isoform signaling, e.g., an extracellular or intracellular acti- 45 vator or inhibitor of the isoform, is analyzed. The analysis can be used, e.g., to evaluate the suitability of, or to choose between alternative treatments, e.g., a particular dosage, mode of delivery, time of delivery, inclusion of adjunctive therapy, e.g., administration in combination with a second 50 agent, or generally to determine the subject's probable drug response phenotype or genotype. The nucleic acid or protein can be analyzed at any stage of treatment, but preferably, prior to administration of the isoform-specific inhibitor to thereby determine appropriate dosage(s) and treatment regimen(s) of 55 the isoform-specific inhibitor (e.g., amount per treatment or frequency of treatments) for prophylactic or therapeutic treatment of the subject.

The isoform-specific inhibitor (e.g., the isoform-specific binding agent) can be used alone in unconjugated form to 60 thereby reduce the activity or induce the killing of the isoform-expressing hyperproliferative or cancerous cells by, e.g., antibody-dependent cell killing mechanisms such as complement-mediated cell lysis and/or effector cell-mediated cell killing. In other embodiments, the isoform-specific 65 inhibitor can be bound to a substance, e.g., a cytotoxic agent or moiety (e.g., a therapeutic drug; a compound emitting

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radiation; molecules of plant, fungal, or bacterial origin; or a biological protein (e.g., a protein toxin) or particle (e.g., a recombinant viral particle, e.g., via a viral coat protein). For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor can be coupled to a radioactive isotope such as an α -, β -, or γ -emitter, or a β - and γ-emitter. Examples of radioactive isotopes include iodine (131 or 125 I, yttrium (90 Y), lutetium (177 Lu), actinium (225 Ac), praseodymium, or bismuth (212 Bi or 213 Bi). Alternatively, the isoform-binding molecule can be coupled to a biological protein, a molecule of plant or bacterial origin (or derivative thereof), e.g., a maytansinoid (e.g., maytansinol or DM1), as well as a taxane (e.g., Taxol® or taxotere), or calicheamicin. The maytansinoid can be, for example, maytansinol or a maytansinol analogue. Examples of maytansinol analogues include those having a modified aromatic ring (e.g., C-19-decloro, C-20-demethoxy, C-20-acyloxy) and those having modifications at other positions (e.g., C-9-CH, C-14-alkoxymethyl, C-14-hydroxymethyl or aceloxymethyl, C-15-hydroxy/acyloxy, C-15-methoxy, C-18-N-demethyl 4.5-deoxy). Maytansinol and maytansinol analogues are described, for example, in U.S. Pat. No. 6,333,410, the contents of which is incorporated herein by reference. The calicheamicin can be, for example, a bromo-complex calicheamicin (e.g., an alpha, beta or gamma bromo-complex), an iodo-complex calicheamicin (e.g., an alpha, beta or gamma iodo-complex), or analogs and mimics thereof. Bromo-complex calicheamicins include α_1 -BR, α_2 -BR, α_3 -BR, α_4 -BR, β_1 -BR, β_2 -BR and γ_1 -BR. Iodo-complex calicheamicins include α_1 -I, α_2 -I, α_3 -I, β_1 -I, β_2 -I, δ_1 -I and γ₁-BR. Calicheamicin and mutants, analogs and mimics thereof are described, for example, in U.S. Pat. No. 4,970, 198, issued Nov. 13, 1990, U.S. Pat. No. 5,264,586, issued Nov. 23, 1993, U.S. Pat. No. 5,550,246, issued Aug. 27, 1996, U.S. Pat. No. 5,712,374, issued Jan. 27, 1998, and U.S. Pat. No. 5,714,586, issued Feb. 3, 1998, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference. Maytansinol can be coupled to antibodies using, e.g., an N-succinimidyl 3-(2pyridyldithio)proprionate (also known as N-succinimidyl 4-(2-pyridyldithio)pentanoate or SPP), 4-succinimidyl-oxycarbonyl-a-(2-pyridyldithio)-toluene (SMPT), N-succinimidyl-3-(2-pyridyldithio)butyrate (SDPB), 2-iminothiolane, or S-acetylsuccinic anhydride.

The methods and compositions of the invention can be used in combination with other therapeutic modalities. In one embodiment, the methods of the invention include administering to the subject an isoform-specific inhibitor as described herein, in combination with a cytotoxic agent, in an amount effective to treat or prevent said disorder. The binding molecule and the cytotoxic agent can be administered simultaneously or sequentially. In other embodiments, the methods and compositions of the invention are used in combination with surgical and/or radiation procedures. In yet other embodiments, the methods can be used in combination with immunodulatory agents, e.g., IL-1, 2, 4, 6, or 12, or interferon alpha or gamma, or immune cell growth factors such as GM-CSF. Exemplary cytotoxic agents that can be administered in combination with the isoform-specific inhibitor include antimicrotubule agents, topoisomerase inhibitors, antimetabolites, mitotic inhibitors, alkylating agents, intercalating agents, agents capable of interfering with a signal transduction pathway, agents that promote apoptosis and radiation.

In therapies of prostatic disorders, e.g., prostate cancer, the isoform-specific inhibitor can be used in combination with existing therapeutic modalities, e.g., prostatectomy (partial or radical), radiation therapy, hormonal therapy, androgen ablation therapy, and cytotoxic chemotherapy. Typically, hormonal therapy works to reduce the levels of androgens in a

patient, and can involve administering a leuteinizing hormone-releasing hormone (LHRH) analog or agonist (e.g., Lupron, Zoladex, leuprolide, buserelin, or goserelin), as well as antagonists (e.g., Abarelix). Non-steroidal anti-androgens, e.g., flutamide, bicalutimade, or nilutamide, can also be used 5 in hormonal therapy, as well as steroidal anti-androgens (e.g., cyproterone acetate or megastrol acetate), estrogens (e.g., diethylstilbestrol), surgical castration, PROSCAR®, secondary or tertiary hormonal manipulations (e.g., involving corticosteroids (e.g., hydrocortisone, prednisone, or dexamethasone), ketoconazole, and/or aminogluthethimide), inhibitors of 5a-reductase (e.g., finisteride), herbal preparations (e.g., PC-SPES), hypophysectomy, and adrenalectomy. Furthermore, hormonal therapy can be performed intermittently or using combinations of any of the above treatments, e.g., combined use of leuprolide and flutamide.

Any combination and sequence of isoform-specific inhibitor and other therapeutic modalities can be used. The isoform-specific inhibitor and other therapeutic modalities can be administered during periods of active disorder, or during a 20 period of remission or less active disease. The isoform-specific inhibitor and other therapeutic modalities can be administered before treatment, concurrently with treatment, post-treatment, or during remission of the disorder.

In another aspect, the invention features methods for 25 detecting the presence of an isoform (e.g., an oncogenic isoform as described herein) polypeptide or gene expression product in a sample in vitro (e.g., a biological sample, e.g., serum, semen or urine, or a tissue biopsy, e.g., from a hyperproliferative or cancerous lesion). The subject method can be 30 used to evaluate (e.g., monitor treatment or progression of, diagnose and/or stage a disorder described herein, e.g., a hyperproliferative or cancerous disorder, in a subject). The method includes: (i) contacting the sample (and optionally, a reference, e.g., a control sample) with an isoform binding 35 molecule (e.g., an antibody molecule), as described herein, under conditions that allow interaction of the isoform binding molecule and the polypeptide or gene expression product to occur, and (ii) detecting formation of a complex between the isoform binding molecule, and the sample (and optionally, 40 the reference, e.g., control, sample). Formation of the complex is indicative of the presence of the polypeptide or gene expression product, and can indicate the suitability or need for a treatment described herein. For example, a statistically significant change in the formation of the complex in the 45 sample relative to the reference sample, e.g., the control sample, is indicative of the presence of the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform, in the sample. In some embodiments, the methods can include the use of more than one isoform-binding molecules, e.g., two antibody molecules that bind to dif- 50 ferent epitopes on the same oncogenic isoform (e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc) or different oncogenic isoform. For example, the method can involve an immunohistochemistry, immunocytochemistry, FACS, antibody molecule complexed magnetic beads, ELISA assays, PCR-techniques (e.g., RT-PCR), 55 e.g., as described in the appended Examples.

In yet another aspect, the invention provides a method for detecting the presence of an isoform (e.g., an oncogenic isoform as described herein) polypeptide or gene expression product in vivo (e.g., in vivo imaging in a subject). The 60 method can be used to evaluate (e.g., monitor treatment or progression of, diagnose and/or stage a disorder described herein, e.g., a hyperproliferative or cancerous disorder), in a subject, e.g., a mammal, e.g., a primate, e.g., a human. The method includes: (i) administering to a subject an isoform 65 binding molecule (e.g., an antibody molecule as described herein), under conditions that allow interaction of the isoform

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binding molecule and the polypeptide or gene expression product to occur; and (ii) detecting formation of a complex between the isoform binding molecule and the polypeptide or gene expression product. A statistically significant change in the formation of the complex in the subject relative to the reference, e.g., the control subject or subject's baseline, is indicative of the presence of the polypeptide or gene expression product.

In other embodiments, a method of evaluating (e.g., monitoring treatment or progression of, diagnosing and/or staging a hyperproliferative or cancerous disorder as described herein, in a subject, is provided. The method includes: (i) identifying a subject having, or at risk of having, the disorder, (ii) obtaining a sample of a tissue or cell affected with the disorder, (iii) contacting said sample or a control sample with an isoform binding molecule as described herein, e.g., an antibody molecule as described herein, under conditions that allow an interaction of the binding molecule and the isoform polypeptide or gene product to occur, and (iv) detecting formation of a complex. A statistically significant increase in the formation of the complex with respect to a reference sample, e.g., a control sample, is indicative of the disorder or the stage of the disorder.

Typically, the isoform binding molecule used in the in vivo and in vitro diagnostic methods is directly or indirectly labeled with a detectable substance to facilitate detection of the bound or unbound binding agent. Suitable detectable substances include various biologically active enzymes, prosthetic groups, fluorescent materials, luminescent materials, paramagnetic (e.g., nuclear magnetic resonance active) materials, and radioactive materials. In some embodiments, the isoform binding molecule is coupled to a radioactive ion, e.g., indium (111 In) iodine (131 I or 125 I), yttrium (90 Y) lutetium (177 Lu), actinium (225 Ac), bismuth (212 Bi or 213 Bi), sulfur (35 S), carbon (14 C), tritium (3 H), rhodium (188 Rh), technetium (99 mTc), praseodymium, or phosphorous (32 P).

The detection/diagnostic methods described herein can further include the step of monitoring the subject, e.g., for a change (e.g., an increase or decrease) in one or more of: tumor size; levels of a cancer marker (e.g., level or expression of levels of circulating prostate-derived FGFR2IIIc; FGFR2IIIc-expressing cells, epithelial cell markers (Ep-CAM), FGF ligands (e.g., FGF8), stromal derived factor alpha (SDFalpha, VEGF (e.g., VEGF121), mesenchymal markers, PSA, PSMA, PSCA, AR, chromogranin, synaptophysin, MIB-1, AMACR, alkaline phosphatase, and/or serum hemoglobin for a patient with prostate cancer); the rate of appearance of new lesions, e.g., in a bone scan; the appearance of new disease-related symptoms; the size of soft tissue mass, e.g., a decreased or stabilization; quality of life, e.g., amount of disease associated pain, e.g., bone pain; or any other parameter related to clinical outcome. The subject can be monitored in one or more of the following periods: prior to beginning of treatment; during the treatment; or after one or more elements of the treatment have been administered. Monitoring can be used to evaluate the need for further treatment with the same isoform-binding molecule or for additional treatment with additional agents. Generally, a decrease in one or more of the parameters described above is indicative of the improved condition of the subject, although with serum hemoglobin levels, an increase can be associated with the improved condition of the subject.

In another aspect, the invention features diagnostic or therapeutic kits that include the isoform-specific inhibitors described herein and instructions for use.

As used herein, the articles "a" and "an" refer to one or to more than one (e.g., to at least one) of the grammatical object of the article.

The term "or" is used herein to mean, and is used interchangeably with, the term "and/or", unless context clearly indicates otherwise.

The terms "proteins" and "polypeptides" are used interchangeably herein.

"About" and "approximately" shall generally mean an acceptable degree of error for the quantity measured given the nature or precision of the measurements. Exemplary degrees of error are within 20 percent (%), typically, within 10%, and more typically, within 5% of a given value or range of values.

All publications, patent applications, patents, and other 15 of FGFR2 beta-ECD to the FGF8b ligand. references mentioned herein are incorporated by reference in their entirety.

Other features, objects, and advantages of the invention will be apparent from the description and drawings, and from the claims.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS

FIG. 1 depicts the isoform structure of FGFR2 receptor tyrosine kinase. Top: Isoform IIIb is expressed on normal 25 prostate epithelial cells. Bottom: Isoform IIIc is expressed in hormone-refractory prostate cancer. TM=Transmembrane; AB=Acid box; I, II, or III=Ig-like loop I, II, or III.

FIG. 2 depicts the sequence alignment of IIIc (SEQ ID NO: 2) and IIIb isoforms (SEQ ID NO: 65).

FIG. 3A depicts the amino acid sequence of human FGFR2 IIIc (SEQ ID NO: 19).

FIG. 3B depicts the nucleotide sequence of human FGFR2 IIIc (SEQ ID NO: 20).

FIG. 4A depicts the nucleotide sequence of FGFR2 Exon-IIIc (SEQ ID NO: 1).

FIG. 4B depicts the nucleotide sequence of FGFR2 Exon-IIIb (SEQ ID NO: 64).

FIG. 5A depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 4) and 40 nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 3) sequences of peptide IIIc-314.

FIG. 5B depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 6) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 5) sequences of peptide IIIc-328.

FIG. 5C depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 8) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 7) sequences of peptide IIIc-350.

FIG. 6A depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 56) and nucleotide (SEO ID NO: 60) sequences of IIIb (Loop3-C') fragment: amino acids 314-351.

FIG. 6B depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 57) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 61) sequences of IIIb epitope: amino 50 acids 314-328.

FIG. 6C depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 58) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 62) sequences of IIIb epitope: amino acids 340-351.

FIG. 7 depicts the isoform structure of FGFR1.

FIG. 8 depicts the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 9) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 10) sequences of FGFR1L epitope sequence at the junction.

FIG. 9 depicts the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 11) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 12) sequences of RON \(\Delta 160 \) epitope at the 60 junction between exon 4 and exon 7.

FIG. 10 depicts the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 13) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 14) sequences of the epitope designed for antibody targeting KIT isoform.

FIG. 11 depicts the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 15) and amino 65 acid (SEQ ID NO: 16) sequences of the epitope designed for antibody targeting PDGF isoform.

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FIG. 12 depicts the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 17) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 18) sequences of the epitope of PDGFR-

FIG. 13A depicts the structure of the soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc fusion protein.

FIG. 13B depicts the nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO: 54) of the soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc fusion protein.

FIG. 13C depicts the amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO: 55) of the soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc fusion protein. The signal peptide corresponds to amino acids 1 to 21 of SEQ ID NO: 55.

FIG. 13D depicts a Western blot of SDS-PAGE analysis of CHO stable cell lines expressing the recombinant fusion protein of soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc.

FIG. 13E is a bar graph depicting soluble receptor binding

FIG. 13F is a linear graph depicting inhibition of binding of the FGFR2IIIc to the FGF8b ligand in the presense of murine antibody Atto-MuMab-03.

FIG. 14 depicts sequence alignments of FGFR2 receptor 20 Ig-like loop-3 regions from human and rat. The C-terminal half of loop-3 is encoded by either exon-8 to give rise to IIIc (shown in bold) (residues 6-53 of SEQ ID NO: 2 and SEQ ID NO: 67), or exon-9 to give rise to IIIb (italic) (residues 6-51 of SEQ ID NO: 65 and SEQ ID NO: 68). Human and rat sequences are 100% identical in these regions.

FIG. 15 depicts the dual targeting strategy for FGFR2 receptor. Antibody Ab-1 targets the extracellular ligand binding site of the receptor; and TKI (e.g., R04383596 or Pazopanib) targets the intracellular tyrosine kinase domain.

FIG. 16 depicts the isoform specific primers for PCR analysis of FGFR2 IIIc and IIIb.

FIG. 17A depicts the amino acid sequence of human FGFR2 gene (SEQ ID NO: 32).

FIGS. 17B-17C depict the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 21) 35 and nucleotide sequences (SEQ ID NO: 63) of human FGFR2 IIIb. respectively.

FIGS. 17D-17O depict the amino acid sequence of human FGFR2 isoform 4 (SEQ ID NO: 22), isoform 7 (SEQ ID NO: 23), isoform 9 (SEQ ID NO: 24), isoform 10 (SEQ ID NO: 25), isoform 11 (SEQ ID NO: 26), isoform 12 (SEQ ID NO: 27), isoform 13 (SEQ ID NO: 28), isoform 14 (SEQ ID NO: 29), isoform 15 (SEQ ID NO: 30), isoform 17 (SEQ ID NO: 31), isoform 18 (SEQ ID NO: 52), and isoform 19 (SEQ ID NO: 53), respectively.

FIG. 18A depicts the amino acid sequence of human FGFR1 gene (SEQ ID NO: 33).

FIGS. 18B-18H depict the amino acid sequences of human FGFR1 isoform 1 (SEQ ID NO: 38), isoform 4 (SEQ ID NO: 39), isoform 14 (SEQ ID NO: 40), isoform 16 (SEQ ID NO: 41), isoform 17 (SEQ ID NO: 42), isoform 3 (SEQ ID NO: 43), and isoform 18 (SEQ ID NO: 44), respectively.

FIG. 19A depicts the amino acid sequence of human RON gene (SEQ ID NO: 34).

FIG. 19B depicts the amino acid sequence of human non-55 oncogenic RON isoform (SEQ ID NO: 45).

FIG. 20A depicts the amino acid sequence of human KIT gene (SEQ ID NO: 35).

FIG. 20B depicts the amino acid sequence of human KIT variant with deletion in exon 11 (SEQ ID NO: 46).

FIG. 20C depict the amino acid sequence of full-length human KIT (SEQ ID NO: 47).

FIG. 21A depicts the amino acid sequence of human PDGF gene (SEQ ID NO: 36).

FIG. 21B depicts the amino acid sequence of human PDGF isoform 2 (SEQ ID NO: 48).

FIG. 21C depict the amino acid sequence of full-length human PDGF (SEQ ID NO: 49).

FIG. 22A depicts the amino acid sequence of human PDGFR alpha gene (SEQ ID NO: 37).

FIG. 22B depicts the amino acid sequence of human PDGFR alpha isoform 1(SEQ ID NO: 50).

FIG. **22**C depict the amino acid sequence of human PDGFR alpha isoform with deletion in exons 7-8 (SEQ ID NO: 51).

FIG. 23 depicts the amino acid sequence of human FGF8 (SEQ ID NO: 66).

FIG. **24**A is a bar graph depicting selective binding of monoclonal antibody clones B7, C5, D2, D10, E3, E8, F3, F10 and G9 to FGFR2IIIc-Fc compared to binding to FGFR2 IIIb. Clone B7 has been designated herein as "Atto-MuMab-03."

FIG. **24**B is a table depicting the OD values and standard deviation of binding of the indicated monoclonal antibody clones to FGFR2IIIc-Fc (including Atto-MuMab-03) compared to binding to FGFR2 IIIb.

FIG. **25**A is a bar graph depicting the selective binding of 20 a panel of human antibody scFv clones 1-8 to the loop-3 region of FGFR2IIIc isoform containing 128-amino acid (amino acid 235-353) (mFc), compared to binding to irrelevant human ovalbumin (OA) and human ferritin (Fer) controls

FIG. **25**B is a table depicting the OD values and standard deviation of binding of the indicated panel of human antibody scFv clones to the 128 amino acid-fragment of FGFR2IIIc (mFc), compared to binding to irrelevant OA and Fer controls.

FIG. **26** is a photograph of DNA fingerprints of thirty different human antibody scFv clones against FGFR2IIIc.

FIG. 27A is a bar graph depicting the binding selectivity of the indicated human antibody scFv clones to FGFR2 isoform IIIc versus FGFR2IIIb.

FIG. 27B is a table depicting the OD values and standard deviation of binding of the indicated human scFv clones to isoform IIIc versus FGFR2IIIb.

FIG. 28 depicts an amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone-6 (SEQ ID NO: 160) and Clone-8 (SEQ 40 ID NO: 161). The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The linker sequence is shaded. Clone-6 and Clone-8 are also referred to herein as 45 "Atto-HuMab-06" and "Atto-HuMab-08," respectively.

FIGS. **29**A-**29**B depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 162) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 161) sequence, respectively, for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv 50 Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The linker sequence is shaded.

FIGS. **29**C-**29**D depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 164) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 163) sequence, respectively, of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The CDR sequences (SEQ ID NOS: 184-55 186, corresponding to the nucleotide sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively; SEQ ID NOS: 155, 156 and 146, corresponding to the amino acid sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively) are underlined.

FIGS. **29**E-**29**F depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 166) 60 and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 165) sequence, respectively, of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The CDR sequences (SEQ ID NOS: 187-189, corresponding to the nucleotide sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively; SEQ ID NOS: 147-149, corresponding to the 65 amino acid sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively) are underlined.

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FIGS. **30**A-**30**B depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 167) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 160) sequence, respectively, for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The linker sequence is shaded.

FIGS. 30C-30D depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 169) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 168) sequence, respectively, of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The CDR sequences (SEQ ID NOS: 178-180, corresponding to the nucleotide sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively; SEQ ID NOS: 155-157, corresponding to the amino acid sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively) are underlined

FIGS. 30E-30F depict the nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 171)

and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 170) sequence, respectively, of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The CDR sequences (SEQ ID NOS: 181-183, corresponding to the nucleotide sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively; SEQ ID NOS: 147, 158 and 159, corresponding to the amino acid sequences of CDRs 1-3, respectively) are underlined.

FIG. 31 is a table depicting the phage clone recovery yield in library screening.

FIG. **32** is photograph of a Western blot depicting binding of the monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-03 to endogenous FGFR2IIIc in tumor cells.

FIG. 33 depicts a Western blot showing the binding of mAb Atto-MuMab-01 to the endogenous FGFR2 IIIc protein in the prostate cancer cell line, DU145. Lane 1: DU145 cell lysate from 50,000 cells; Lane 2: mAb IP from lysate of 500,000 DU145 cells; Lane 3: blank; Lane 4: Positive control of FGFR2IIIc-Fc (100 ng).

FIG. 34A depicts the nucleotide sequence of Atto-MuMab-02 heavy chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 87; 358 bp). The 35 nucleotide sequences of CDRs (SEQ ID NOS: 91, 93 and 95, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively) and framework regions are shown as underlined and in italic, respectively.

FIG. 34B depicts the nucleotide sequence of Atto-MuMab-02 light chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 89; 324 bp). The nucleotide sequences of CDRs (SEQ ID NOS: 97, 99 and 101, corresponding to CDRs 1-3, respectively) and framework regions are shown as underlined and in italic, respectively.

FIG. **35** depicts the amino acid sequences of Atto-MuMab-02 light chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 90; 21-LC) and heavy chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 88; 21-HC). SEQ ID NOS: 98, 100 and 102 correspond to VL CDRs 1-3, respectively. SEQ ID NOS: 92, 94 and 96 correspond to VH CDRs 1-3, respectively.

FIG. 36A depicts the amino acid sequence alignment of Atto-MuMab-02 heavy chain variable region with mouse immunoglobulin mu chain. 21HC: Atto-MuMab-02 immunoglobulin heavy chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 88); subject: immunoglobulin mu chain [*Mus musculus*] (SEQ ID NO: 142; GenBank: AAA88255.1).

FIG. **36**B depicts the amino acid sequence alignment of Atto-MuMab-02 light chain variable region with mouse antihuman melanoma immunoglobulin light chain. 21LC: Atto-MuMab-02 immunoglobulin light chain variable region (residues 1-106 of SEQ ID NO: 90); subject: anti-human melanoma immunoglobulin light chain [*Mus musculus*] (SEQ ID NO: 143; GenBank: AAO49727.1).

FIGS. 37A-37B depicts the amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 190) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 191) sequences, respectively, for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 1 (scFv-1, also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-01"). The linker sequence is shaded. The CDR sequences are

underlined. SEQ ID NOS: 144-146 correspond to the amino acid sequences of VL CDRs 1-3, respectively. SEQ ID NOS: 147-149 correspond to the amino acid sequences of VH CDRs 1-3, respectively. SEQ ID NOS: 172-174 correspond to the nucleotide sequences of VL CDRs 1-3, respectively. SEQ ID NOS: 175-177 correspond to the nucleotide sequences of VH CDRs 1-3, respectively.

FIG. 38 depicts an amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone 1 (scFv-1, SEQ ID NO: 142) and Clone 6 (scFv-6, SEQ ID NO: 160). The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The linker sequence is shaded. Clone-1 and Clone-6 are also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-01" and "Atto-HuMab-06," respectively.

FIG. **39** depicts an amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone 1 (scFv-1, SEQ ID NO: 142) and Clone 8 (scFv-8; SEQ ID NO: 161). The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The linker sequence is shaded. Clone-1 and Clone-8 are also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-01" and "Atto-HuMab-25 08," respectively.

FIG. **40** is a table depicting a comparison of the CDR region homology among human scFv clones scFv-1, scFv-6 and scFv-8. Unique amino acid residues are underlined. Amino acid residues that share sequence homology among 30 two of the three clones are shown in italics. Amino acid residues homologous among all three clones are shown in regular font.

FIG. **41** depicts images of immunocytochemical (ICC) staining showing the binding of human scFv Clone 1 (scFv-1) 35 to FGFR2IIIc-expressing CHO cells.

FIG. 42 depicts graphs showing the binding of Fc-fusion of human scFv Clone 1 (dcFv-01) to FGFR2IIIc-expressing CHO cells as determined by fluorescence activated cell sorting (FACS).

FIG. **43** depicts images of immunocytochemical (ICC) staining showing the binding of Fc-fusion of human scFv Clone 1 (dcFv-01) to rat prostate cancer cell line AT3B-1.

FIG. **44** depicts graphs showing the binding of Fc-fusion of human scFv Clone 1 (dcFv-01) to rat prostate cancer cell line 45 AT3B-1 as determined by fluorescence activated cell sorting (FACS).

FIG. **45** is a flow chart depicting exemplary library screening, isolation of scFab clones, construction and characterization of Atto-HuMab-01.

FIG. 46 is a table depicting a summary of library panning and enrichment results.

FIG. 47 depicts graphs of clone characterization and binding specificity to FGFR2-IIIc versus FGFR2-IIIb. (A) Bar graph of phage-scFv clone binding to FGFR2-IIIc vs FGFR2-55 IIIb; (B) Bar graph of soluble scFv antibody binding to FGFR2-IIIc vs FGFR2-IIIb; (C) dcFv clones, dcFv-1 and -8 blocked ligand FGF8 binding to FGFR2IIIc-Fc in a concentration dependent manner.

FIG. **48** is a table depicting antibody binding to transient 60 CHO cells (phage-displayed: Phage-scFv; secreted: Soluble scFv; bivalent soluble: Fc-fusion dcFv).

FIG. 49 is a table depicting exemplary CDR region homology comparison among scFv vlones. A dashed line=a space in the sequence.

FIG. 50 depicts exemplary Atto-HuMab-01 properties. (A) Non-reduced and reduced SDS-PAGE of purified Atto-

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HuMab-01; (B) Atto-HuMab-01 binding activity to soluble receptor FGFR2-IIIc Loop-III domain (mFc-128aa); negative control=Human IgG.

FIG. **51** depicts exemplary binding specificity of Atto-HuMab-01 to FGFR2-IIIc as compared to FGFR2-IIIb. (A) Atto-HuMab-01 binding specificity to CHO-FGFR2-IIIc demonstrated by immunocytochemistry; (B) Atto-HuMab-01 isoform selectivity to CHO-FGFR2-IIIc demonstrated by FACS

FIG. **52** depicts exemplary Atto-HuMab-01 affinity determination. (A) Atto-HuMab-01 binds to a soluble receptor with calculated affinity constant 0.04 nM (0.01 nM-0.1 nM); (B) Atto-HuMab-01 binds to cell receptor FGFR2-IIIc on stable CHO-IIIc cell with a calculated affinity constant 0.7 nM; (C) Atto-HuMab-01 binds to with varying affinity to a subset of FGF receptors. Atto-HuMab-01 (biotinylated) binds to FGFR2-IIIc with similar affinity as previously determined (affinity ~0.2 nM). Atto-HuMab-01 binds to FGFR3-IIIc, FGFR4 with lower affinity. The affinity could not be calculated because bindings from those 2 proteins did not reach a plateau.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

The present invention provides, at least in part, isoformspecific inhibitors that inhibit or reduce one or more isoformassociated activities. In certain embodiments, the isoforms (e.g., polypeptide or nucleic acid isoforms) are expressed and/or are associated with oncogenic or malignant phenotypes (referred to herein as "oncogenic isoforms"). For example, the isoforms can arise from, e.g., one or more of: alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or posttranslational events, thereby resulting in different transcription or translation products. In one embodiment, the isoformspecific inhibitor is an isoform-binding molecule, e.g., an antibody molecule, or a nucleic acid inhibitor. In another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is a soluble receptor polypeptide and a fusion form thereof, or a peptide and a functional variant thereof. For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor can be an oncogenic isoform-binding molecule, e.g., an antibody molecule or a nucleic acid inhibitor that specifically interacts with, e.g., binds to, one or more oncogenic isoforms (e.g., oncogenic isoform polypeptides or nucleic acids encoding the same). In another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is a soluble receptor polypeptide or a fusion form thereof, or a peptide or a functional variant thereof that reduces or inhibits one or more isoform- (e.g., oncogenic isoform-) associated activities. In embodiments, the soluble receptor or fusion reduce or inhibit (e.g., competitively inhibit) an interaction of the isoform (e.g., the oncogenic isoform) polypeptide and its cognate ligand or receptor.

The oncogenic isoforms can arise from, e.g., alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or post-translational events, of various proto-oncogene expression products in a cell, e.g., a hyperproliferative cell (e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell). The isoform-binding molecules described herein bind to such oncogenic isoforms, but do not substantially bind a predominantly non-oncogenic sequence of the proto-oncogene from which the isoform is derived.

The term "isoform" in the context of a protein or polypeptide as used herein refers to polymers of amino acids of any length that can be derived from one or more of alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or post-translational events. Alternative splicing events include processes (during transcription) by which one or more alternative exons (i.e., portion of a gene that codes for a protein) within a given RNA molecule are combined (by RNA Polymerase mol-

ecules) to yield different mRNAs from the same gene. Each such mRNA is known as a "gene transcript". Commonly, a single gene can encode several different mRNA transcripts, caused by cell- or tissue-specific combination of different exons. For example, multiple forms of fibroblast growth fac- 5 tor receptor 1-3 (FGFR1-3) are known to be generated by alternative splicing of the mRNAs. A frequent splicing event involving FGFR1 and 2 results in receptors containing three immunoglobulin (ig) domains, commonly referred to the α isoform, or only Immunoglobulin II (IgII) and IgIII, referred 10 to as the β isoform. The α isoform has been identified for FGFR3 and FGFR4. FGF receptors with alternative IgIII domains, referred to herein as "FGFRIIIb" and "FGFR2IIIc," are generated by splicing events of FGFR1-3 involving the C-terminal half of the IgIII domain encoded by two mutually 15 exclusive alternative exons derived from the FGFR2 gene (reviewed in Galzie, Z. et al. (1997) Biochem. Cell. Biol. 75:669-685; Burke, D. et al. (1998) Trends Biochem Sci 23:59-62). FGFR2-IIIc uses the alternative exon III, which encodes a different sequence than that of isoform FGFR2- 20 IIIb. Other causes/sources of alternative splicing include frameshifting (i.e., different set of triplet codons in the mRNA/transcript is translated by the ribosome) or varying translation start or stop site (on the mRNA during its translation), resulting in a given intron remaining in the mRNA 25 transcript. Different body tissues and some diseases are associated with alternative splicing events, and thus result in different proteins being produced in different tissues; or in diseased tissues.

An "oncogenic isoform" refers to any protein, polypeptide, 30 mRNA, or cDNA that can be derived from one or more of alternative splicing, frameshifting, translational and/or posttranslational events, whose presence or abnormal level is associated with cancer or malignant phenotype. For example, it may be found at an abnormal level in cells derived from 35 disease-affected tissues, as compared to a reference value, e.g., a tissue or cells of a non disease control. It may be a protein isoform that is expressed at an abnormally high level, where the altered expression correlates with the occurrence and/or progression of the cancer. An oncogenic isoform may 40 also be the expression product of a gene possessing mutation(s) or genetic variation that is directly responsible or is in linkage disequilibrium with other gene(s) that are responsible for the etiology of cancer. Exemplary oncogenic isoforms include, but are not limited to, FGFR2 (e.g., an oncogenic 45 FGFR2 isoform IIIc), FGFR1 (e.g., an oncogenic FGFR1L), RON receptor tyrosine kinase (e.g., an oncogenic RON receptor tyrosine kinase comprising a deletion of exons 5 and 6), KIT receptor tyrosine kinase (e.g., an oncogenic KIT receptor tyrosine kinase comprising a deletion in exon 11), and PDGF- 50 receptor alpha (e.g., an oncogenic PDGF-receptor alpha comprising a deletion of exons 7 and 8).

Similarly, a "non-oncogenic isoform" or "non-oncogenic protooncogene" refers to a protein, polypeptide, mRNA, or cDNA that is found predominantly in non-cancerous cells or 55 tissues. Such isoforms and protooncogenes may be expressed in malignant conditions, but is not typically associated with the malignant phenotype.

The compositions and methods of the present invention encompass polypeptides and nucleic acids having the 60 sequences specified, or sequences substantially identical or similar thereto, e.g., sequences at least 85%, 90%, 95% identical or higher to the sequence specified. In the context of an amino acid sequence, the term "substantially identical" is used herein to refer to a first amino acid that contains a 65 sufficient or minimum number of amino acid residues that are i) identical to, or ii) conservative substitutions of aligned

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amino acid residues in a second amino acid sequence such that the first and second amino acid sequences can have a common structural domain and/or common functional activity. For example, amino acid sequences that contain a common structural domain having at least about 85%, 90%. 91%, 92%, 93%, 94%, 95%, 96%, 97%, 98% or 99% identity to a reference sequence, e.g., SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 4 or SEQ ID NO: 6 are termed substantially identical.

In the context of nucleotide sequence, the term "substantially identical" is used herein to refer to a first nucleic acid sequence that contains a sufficient or minimum number of nucleotides that are identical to aligned nucleotides in a second nucleic acid sequence such that the first and second nucleotide sequences encode a polypeptide having common functional activity, or encode a common structural polypeptide domain or a common functional polypeptide activity. For example, nucleotide sequences having at least about 85%, 90%, 91%, 92%, 93%, 94%, 95%, 96%, 97%, 98% or 99% identity to a reference sequence, e.g., SEQ ID NO: 1, 3, or 5 are termed substantially identical.

The term "functional variant" refers polypeptides that have a substantially identical amino acid sequence to the naturallyoccurring sequence, or are encoded by a substantially identical nucleotide sequence, and are capable of having one or more activities of the naturally-occurring sequence.

Calculations of homology or sequence identity between sequences (the terms are used interchangeably herein) are performed as follows.

To determine the percent identity of two amino acid sequences, or of two nucleic acid sequences, the sequences are aligned for optimal comparison purposes (e.g., gaps can be introduced in one or both of a first and a second amino acid or nucleic acid sequence for optimal alignment and nonhomologous sequences can be disregarded for comparison purposes). In a preferred embodiment, the length of a reference sequence aligned for comparison purposes is at least 30%, preferably at least 40%, more preferably at least 50%, 60%, and even more preferably at least 70%, 80%, 90%, 100% of the length of the reference sequence. The amino acid residues or nucleotides at corresponding amino acid positions or nucleotide positions are then compared. When a position in the first sequence is occupied by the same amino acid residue or nucleotide as the corresponding position in the second sequence, then the molecules are identical at that position (as used herein amino acid or nucleic acid "identity" is equivalent to amino acid or nucleic acid "homology").

The percent identity between the two sequences is a function of the number of identical positions shared by the sequences, taking into account the number of gaps, and the length of each gap, which need to be introduced for optimal alignment of the two sequences.

The comparison of sequences and determination of percent identity between two sequences can be accomplished using a mathematical algorithm. In a preferred embodiment, the percent identity between two amino acid sequences is determined using the Needleman and Wunsch ((1970) J. Mol. Biol. 48:444-453) algorithm which has been incorporated into the GAP program in the GCG software package (available at http://www.gcg.com), using either a Blossum 62 matrix or a PAM250 matrix, and a gap weight of 16, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, or 4 and a length weight of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. In yet another preferred embodiment, the percent identity between two nucleotide sequences is determined using the GAP program in the GCG software package (available at http://www.gcg. com), using a NWSgapdna.CMP matrix and a gap weight of 40, 50, 60, 70, or 80 and a length weight of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. A particularly preferred set of parameters (and the one that

should be used unless otherwise specified) are a Blossum 62 scoring matrix with a gap penalty of 12, a gap extend penalty of 4, and a frameshift gap penalty of 5.

The percent identity between two amino acid or nucleotide sequences can be determined using the algorithm of E. Meyers and W. Miller ((1989) CABIOS, 4:11-17) which has been incorporated into the ALIGN program (version 2.0), using a PAM120 weight residue table, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

The nucleic acid and protein sequences described herein 10 can be used as a "query sequence" to perform a search against public databases to, for example, identify other family members or related sequences. Such searches can be performed using the NBLAST and XBLAST programs (version 2.0) of Altschul, et al. (1990) J. Mol. Biol. 215:403-10. BLAST 15 nucleotide searches can be performed with the NBLAST program, score=100, wordlength=12 to obtain nucleotide sequences homologous to a nucleic acid (SEQ ID NO: 1) molecules of the invention. BLAST protein searches can be performed with the XBLAST program, score=50, 20 wordlength=3 to obtain amino acid sequences homologous to protein molecules of the invention. To obtain gapped alignments for comparison purposes, Gapped BLAST can be utilized as described in Altschul et al., (1997) Nucleic Acids Res. 25:3389-3402. When utilizing BLAST and Gapped BLAST 25 programs, the default parameters of the respective programs (e.g., XBLAST and NBLAST) can be used. See http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov.

As used herein, the term "hybridizes under low stringency, medium stringency, high stringency, or very high stringency 30 conditions" describes conditions for hybridization and washing. Guidance for performing hybridization reactions can be found in Current Protocols in Molecular Biology, John Wiley & Sons, N.Y. (1989), 6.3.1-6.3.6, which is incorporated by reference. Aqueous and nonaqueous methods are described in 35 that reference and either can be used. Specific hybridization conditions referred to herein are as follows: 1) low stringency hybridization conditions in 6x sodium chloride/sodium citrate (SSC) at about 45° C., followed by two washes in 0.2× SSC, 0.1% SDS at least at 50° C. (the temperature of the 40 washes can be increased to 55° C. for low stringency conditions); 2) medium stringency hybridization conditions in 6×SSC at about 45° C., followed by one or more washes in 0.2×SSC, 0.1% SDS at 60° C.; 3) high stringency hybridization conditions in 6×SSC at about 45° C., followed by one or 45 more washes in 0.2×SSC, 0.1% SDS at 65° C.; and preferably 4) very high stringency hybridization conditions are 0.5M sodium phosphate, 7% SDS at 65° C., followed by one or more washes at 0.2×SSC, 1% SDS at 65° C. Very high stringency conditions (4) are the preferred conditions and the ones 50 that should be used unless otherwise specified.

It is understood that the molecules of the present invention may have additional conservative or non-essential amino acid substitutions, which do not have a substantial effect on their functions.

The term "amino acid" is intended to embrace all molecules, whether natural or synthetic, which include both an amino functionality and an acid functionality and capable of being included in a polymer of naturally-occurring amino acids. Exemplary amino acids include naturally-occurring 60 amino acids; analogs, derivatives and congeners thereof; amino acid analogs having variant side chains; and all stereoisomers of any of any of the foregoing. As used herein the term "amino acid" includes both the D- or L-optical isomers and peptidomimetics.

A "conservative amino acid substitution" is one in which the amino acid residue is replaced with an amino acid residue 32

having a similar side chain. Families of amino acid residues having similar side chains have been defined in the art. These families include amino acids with basic side chains (e.g., lysine, arginine, histidine), acidic side chains (e.g., aspartic acid, glutamic acid), uncharged polar side chains (e.g., glycine, asparagine, glutamine, serine, threonine, tyrosine, cysteine), nonpolar side chains (e.g., alanine, valine, leucine, isoleucine, proline, phenylalanine, methionine, tryptophan), beta-branched side chains (e.g., threonine, valine, isoleucine) and aromatic side chains (e.g., tyrosine, phenylalanine, tryptophan, histidine).

The terms "polypeptide", "peptide" and "protein" (if single chain) are used interchangeably herein to refer to polymers of amino acids of any length. The polymer may be linear or branched, it may comprise modified amino acids, and it may be interrupted by non-amino acids. The terms also encompass an amino acid polymer that has been modified; for example, disulfide bond formation, glycosylation, lipidation, acetylation, phosphorylation, or any other manipulation, such as conjugation with a labeling component. As used herein, the term "polypeptide" refers to two or more amino acids linked by a peptide bond between the alpha-carboxyl group of one amino acid and the alpha-amino group of the next amino acid. The polypeptide can be isolated from natural sources, can be a produced by recombinant techniques from a eukaryotic or prokaryotic host, or can be a product of synthetic procedures.

The terms "nucleic acid," "nucleic acid sequence," "nucleotide sequence," or "polynucleotide sequence," and "polynucleotide" are used interchangeably. They refer to a polymeric form of nucleotides of any length, either deoxyribonucleotides or ribonucleotides, or analogs thereof. The polynucleotide may be either single-stranded or doublestranded, and if single-stranded may be the coding strand or non-coding (antisense) strand. Polynucleotides may have any three-dimensional structure, and may perform any function, known or unknown. The following are non-limiting examples of polynucleotides: coding or non-coding regions of a gene or gene fragment, loci (locus) defined from linkage analysis, exons, introns, messenger RNA (mRNA), transfer RNA. ribosomal RNA, ribozymes, cDNA, recombinant polynucleotides, branched polynucleotides, plasmids, vectors, isolated DNA of any sequence, isolated RNA of any sequence, nucleic acid probes, and primers. A polynucleotide may comprise modified nucleotides, such as methylated nucleotides and nucleotide analogs. If present, modifications to the nucleotide structure may be imparted before or after assembly of the polymer. The sequence of nucleotides may be interrupted by non-nucleotide components. A polynucleotide may be further modified after polymerization, such as by conjugation with a labeling component. The nucleic acid may be a recombinant polynucleotide, or a polynucleotide of genomic, cDNA, semisynthetic, or synthetic origin which either does not occur in nature or is linked to another polynucleotide in a nonnatural arrangement.

An "oligonucleotide" refers to a single stranded polynucleotide having less than about 100 nucleotides, less than about 75, 50, 25, or 10 nucleotides. An "oligonucleotide," as used herein, refers to an oligomer or polymer of a ribonucleic acid (RNA) or deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) or mimetics thereof. This term includes oligonucleotides composed of naturally occurring nucleobases, sugars and covalent internucleoside (backbone) linkages as well as oligonucleotides having nonnaturally-occurring portions which function similarly. Such modified or substituted oligonucleotides are often preferred over native forms because of desirable properties such as, for

example, enhanced cellular uptake, enhanced affinity for nucleic acid target and increased stability in the presence of

The term "isolated," as used herein, refers to material that is removed from its original or native environment (e.g., the 5 natural environment if it is naturally occurring). For example, a naturally-occurring polynucleotide or polypeptide present in a living animal is not isolated, but the same polynucleotide or polypeptide, separated by human intervention from some or all of the co-existing materials in the natural system, is isolated. Such polynucleotides could be part of a vector and/ or such polynucleotides or polypeptides could be part of a composition, and still be isolated in that such vector or composition is not part of the environment in which it is found in

Various aspects of the invention are described in further detail below. Additional definitions are set out throughout the specification.

Polypeptides of Oncogenic Isoforms, or Epitopes Thereof

isoforms or epitope thereof, or substantially identical sequences thereto. The term "epitope" or "epitope fragment" refers to the region of an antigen to which an antibody molecule binds preferentially and specifically. A monoclonal antibody binds preferentially to a single specific epitope of a 25 molecule that can be molecularly defined. An epitope of a particular protein or protein isoform may be constituted by a limited number of amino acid residues, e.g. 2-30 residues, that are either in a linear or non-linear organization on the protein or protein isoform. An epitope that is recognized by 30 the antibody may be, e.g., a short peptide of 2-30 amino acids that spans a junction of two domains or two polypeptide fragments of an oncogenic isoform that is not present in the normal isoforms of the protein. An oncogenic isoform may be a translation product of an alternatively spliced RNA variant 35 that either lacks one or more exon(s) or has additional exon(s) relative to the RNA encoding the normal protein. The epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 15-16, 15-17, 15-18, 15-19, 15-20, 15-21, 15-22, 15-23, 15-24, 15-25, 15-26, 15-27, 15-28, 15-29, or 15-30 of any one of 40 SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 14-16, 14-17, 14-18, 14-19, 14-20, 14-21, 14-22, 14-23, 14-24, 14-25, 14-26, 14-27, 14-28, 14-29, or 14-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the 45 epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 13-16, 13-17, 13-18, 13-19, 13-20, 13-21, 13-22, 13-23, 13-24, 13-25, 13-26, 13-27, 13-28, 13-29, or 13-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 50 12-16, 12-17, 12-18, 12-19, 12-20, 12-21, 12-22, 12-23, 12-24, 12-25, 12-26, 12-27, 12-28, 12-29, or 12-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 11-16, 11-17, 11-18, 11-19, 11-20, 11-21, 11-22, 11-23, 55 11-24, 11-25, 11-26, 11-27, 11-28, 11-29, or 11-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 10-16, 10-17, 10-18, 10-19, 10-20, 10-21, 10-22, 10-23, 10-24, 10-25, 10-26, 10-27, 10-28, 10-29, or 10-30 of any one 60 of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 9-16, 9-17, 9-18, 9-19, 9-20, 9-21, 9-22, 9-23, 9-24, 9-25, 9-26, 9-27, 9-28, 9-29, or 9-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may com- 65 prise, or consist of, residues at positions 8-16, 8-17, 8-18, 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-26, 8-27, 8-28,

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8-29, or 8-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 7-16, 7-17, 7-18, 7-19, 7-20, 7-21, 7-22, 7-23, 7-24, 7-25, 7-26, 7-27, 7-28, 7-29, or 7-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 6-16, 6-17, 6-18, 6-19, 6-20, 6-21, 6-22, 6-23, 6-24, 6-25, 6-26, 6-27, 6-28, 6-29, or 6-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 5-19, 5-20, 5-21, 5-22, 5-23, 5-24, 5-25, 5-26, 5-27, 5-28, 5-29, or 5-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 4-16, 4-17, 4-18, 4-19, 4-20, 4-21, 4-22, 4-23, 4-24, 4-25, 4-26, 4-27, 4-28, 4-29, or 4-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 3-16, 3-17, 3-18, 3-19, 3-20, 3-21, 3-22, 3-23, 3-24, 3-25, 3-26, 3-27, 3-28, 3-29, or 3-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, The invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic 20 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 2-16, 2-17, 2-18, 2-19, 2-20, 2-21, 2-22, 2-23, 2-24, 2-25, 2-26, 2-27, 2-28, 2-29, or 2-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. In another embodiment, the epitope may comprise, or consist of, residues at positions 1-16, 1-17, 1-18, 1-19, 1-20, 1-21, 1-22, 1-23, 1-24, 1-25, 1-26, 1-27, 1-28, 1-29, or 1-30 of any one of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 12, 14, or 18. The "epitope" may be used to raise antibodies that specifically bind the oncogenic isoform (e.g., do not substantially bind to the non-oncogenic isoform derived from the same proto-oncogene).

> In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof. In one embodiment, an isoform or epitope thereof is an oncogenic form of a proto-oncogene selected from the group consisting of human FGFR2 (SEQ ID NO: 32), human FGFR1 (SEQ ID NO: 33), human RON Receptor tyrosine kinase (SEQ ID NO: 34), human KIT receptor tyrosine kinase (SEQ ID NO: 35), human PDGF (SEQ ID NO: 36), and human PDGFR-alpha (SEQ ID NO: 37), or a sequence substantially identical thereto.

> In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated rat polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof. In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated mouse polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof. In other embodiments, the isolated polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof will be derived from other species, including but not limited to, dogs, pigs, guinea pigs and rabbits.

FGFR2

Fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 (FGFR2), also known in the art as bacteria-expressed kinase (BEK), keratinocyte growth factor receptor (KGFR), JWS, CEK3, CFD1, ECT1, TK14, TK25, BFR-1, CD332, K-SAM and FLJ98662. FGFR2 is a member of the fibroblast growth factor receptor family and has high affinity for acidic, basic and/or keratinocyte growth factor. FGFR2 is associated with signal transduction leading to mitogenesis and differentiation. Mutations in FGFR2 have been associated with craniofacial dysostosis 1, Crouzon syndrome, Pfeiffer syndrome, Jackson-Weiss syndrome and Apert syndrome.

The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human FGFR2 are disclosed, e.g., in Dionne et al., (1990) EMBO J. 9:2685-2692 and Miki et al., (1992) PNAS 89:246-250). The nucleotide and protein sequences of mouse FGFR2 are disclosed, e.g., in Miki et al., (1991) Science 251:72-75 and Mansukhani et al., (1992) PNAS 89:3305-3309. The unprocessed precursor of human FGFR2 is about 821 amino acids in

length and about 90310 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse FGFR2 is about 821 amino acids in length and about 90310 Da in molecular weight.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof 5 encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative use of Exon III of a nucleic acid encoding a FGFR2. In one embodiment, the alternative use of Exon III results in sequence variation in the region of amino acids from 301-360, when aligned with 10 FGFR2 IIIb. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence selected from the group of SEQ NOs: 2, 4, 6, and 8. In another embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid selected from the group consisting of SEQ NOs: 15 1, 3, 5, and 7, or sequences substantially identical to the same. FGFR1

Fibroblast growth factor receptor 1 (FGFR1) is also known in the art as CEK; FLG; FLT2; KAL2; BFGFR; CD331; FGFBR; HBGFR; N-SAM and FLJ99988. FGFR1 is a member of the fibroblast growth factor receptor family and has high affinity for both acidic and basic fibroblast growth factors. FGFR1 is associated with signal transduction leading to mitogenesis and differentiation and is involved in limb induction.

The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human FGFR1 are disclosed, e.g., in Isacchi et al., *Nucleic Acids Res.* 18:1906-1906 (1990) and Hou et al., *Science* 251:665-668 (1991). The nucleotide and protein sequences of mouse FGFR1 are disclosed, e.g., in Harada et al., *Biochem. Biophys. Res. Commun.* 205:1057-1063 (1994). The unprocessed precursor of human FGFR1 is about 822 amino acids in length and about 90420 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse FGFR1 is about 822 amino acids in length and about 90420 Da in molecular weight.

Mutations in FGFR1 have been associated with Pfeiffer syndrome, Jackson-Weiss syndrome, Antley-Bixler syndrome, osteoglophonic dysplasia, and autosomal dominant Kallmann syndrome 2. Chromosomal aberrations involving this gene are associated with stem cell myeloproliferative 40 disorder and stem cell leukemia lymphoma syndrome.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope thereof encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 45 8 of a nucleic acid encoding a FGFR1. In one embodiment, the alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 8 results in a deletion of 105 amino acids, when aligned with an FGFR1 proto-oncogene. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence of SEQ NO: 10, or a sequence substantially identical to the same. In another aspect the polypeptide comprises a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ NO: 9, or a sequence substantially identical to the same.

In another embodiment, the epitope consists of, or 55 includes, an amino acid sequence identical the junctional region between Ig-II and Ig-III of FGFR1L (SEQ ID NO: 10) or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 9 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

RON Receptor Tyrosine Kinase

Macrophage stimulating 1 receptor (c-met-related tyrosine kinase) (RON) is also known in the art as MST1R, PTK8, CD136 and CDw136. RON is a receptor for macrophage 65 stimulating protein (MSP) and has a tyrosine-protein kinase activity. It is involved in development of epithelial tissue,

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bone and neuroendocrine derivatives. The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human RON are disclosed, e.g., in Ronsin C. et al., *Oncogene* 8:1195-1202 (1993); and Collesi C. et al., *Mol. Cell. Biol.* 16:5518-5526 (1996). The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of mouse RON are disclosed e.g., in Iwama A. et al., Blood 83:3160-3169 (1994); Waltz S. E. et al., Oncogene 16:27-42 (1998); and Persons D. A. et al., Nat. Genet. 23:159-165 (1999). The unprocessed precursor of human RON is about 1400 amino acids in length and about 152227 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse RON is about 1378 amino acids in length and about 150538 Da in molecular weight.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 5 and 6 of a nucleic acid encoding a RON receptor tyrosine kinase. In one embodiment, the alternative deletion of Exons 5 and 6 results in an in-frame deletion of 109 amino acids in the extracellular domain, when aligned with a RON receptor tyrosine kinase proto-oncogene. In one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a polypeptide sequence resulting from the fusion and juxtaposition of Exons 4 and 7. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or 25 comprises, a sequence of SEQ NO: 12, or a sequence substantially identical to the same. In another embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ NO: 11, or a sequence substantially identical to the same.

In yet other embodiments, the epitope consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence identical to the junctional region between exon 4 and exon 7 of isoform RONΔ160 (SEQ ID NO: 12) or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 11 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

KIT Receptor Tyrosine Kinase

v-kit Hardy-Zuckerman 4 feline sarcoma viral oncogene homolog (KIT) is also known in the art as PBT; SCFR; C-Kit and CD117. KIT encodes the human homolog of the proto-oncogene c-kit. KIT is a type 3 transmembrane receptor for MGF (mast cell growth factor, also known as stem cell factor).

The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human KIT are disclosed, e.g., in Yarden et al., *EMBO J.* 6:3341-3351 (1987) and Giebel et al., Oncogene 7:2207-2217 (1992). The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of mouse KIT are disclosed e.g., in. Qiu et al., *EMBO J.* 7:1003-1011 (1988) and Rossi et al., *Dev. Biol.* 152:203-207 (1992). The unprocessed precursor of human KIT is about 976 amino acids in length and about 107360 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse KIT is about 107250 amino acids in length and about 150538 Da in molecular weight.

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Mutations in KIT are associated with gastrointestinal stroIn another embodiment, the epitope consists of, or 55 mal tumors, mast cell disease, acute myelogenous leukemia, cludes, an amino acid sequence identical the junctional and piebaldism.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exon 11 of a nucleic acid encoding a KIT receptor tyrosine kinase. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence of SEQ NO: 14, or a sequence substantially identical to the same. In another embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ NO: 13, or a sequence substantially identical to the same.

In yet another embodiment, the epitope consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence identical to the junctional region of KIT between exons 10 and 12 of SEQ ID NO: 14 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:13 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

PDGF

Platelet-derived growth factor alpha polypeptide (PDGFA) is also known in the art as PDGF1 and PDGF-A. PDGFA 10 encoded a member of the platelet-derived growth factor family. PDGFA is a mitogenic factor for cells of mesenchymal origin and is characterized by a motif of eight cysteines.

The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human PDGFA are disclosed, e.g., in Bonthron et al., *Proc. Natl.* 15 *Acad. Sci. U.S.A.* 85:1492-1496 (1988) and Betsholtz et al., Nature 320:695-699 (1986). The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of mouse PDGFA are disclosed e.g., in. Rorsman et al., *Growth Factors* 6:303-313 (1992) and Mercola et al., *Dev. Biol.* 138:114-122 (1990). The unprocessed precursor of human PDGFA is about 211 amino acids in length and about 23210 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse PDGFA is about 211 amino acids in length and about 23210 Da in molecular weight.

Studies using knockout mice have shown cellular defects 25 in oligodendrocytes, alveolar smooth muscle cells, and Leydig cells in the testis; knockout mice die either as embryos or shortly after birth.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments 30 thereof encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative in-frame deletion of Exon 6 of a nucleic acid encoding PDGF. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence of SEQ NO: 16, or sequence substantially identical 35 to the same. In another embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ NO: 15, or a sequence substantially identical to the same.

In yet another embodiment, the epitope consists of, or 40 includes, an amino acid sequence identical to the junctional region of PDGF between exons 5 and 7 of SEQ ID NO: 16 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 15 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identi-45 cal thereto.

PDGFR-Alpha

Platelet-derived growth factor receptor, alpha polypeptide (PDGFRA) is also known in the art as CD140A; PDGFR2; MGC74795 and Rhe-PDGFRA. PFGFRA encodes a cell surface tyrosine kinase receptor for members of the platelet-derived growth factor family. These growth factors are mitogens for cells of mesenchymal origin.

The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of human PDGFA are disclosed e.g., in Bonthron et al., *Proc. Natl.* 55 *Acad. Sci. U.S.A.* 85:1492-1496 (1988) and Betsholtz et al., *Nature* 320:695-699 (1986). The nucleotide acid and protein sequences of mouse PDGFA are disclosed, e.g., in Stiles et al., *Mol. Cell. Biol.* 10:6781-6784 (1990) and Carninci et al., *Science* 309:1559-1563 (2005). The unprocessed precursor of human PDGFA is about 1089 amino acids in length and about 119790 Da in molecular weight. The unprocessed precursor of mouse PDGFA is about 1089 amino acids in length and about 119790 Da in molecular weight.

A fusion of PDGFRA and FIP1L1 (FIP1L1-PDGFRA), 65 due to an interstitial chromosomal deletion, is the cause of some cases of hypereosinophilic syndrome (HES). HES is a

rare hematologic disorder characterized by sustained overproduction of eosinophils in the bone marrow, eosinophilia, tissue infiltration and organ damage.

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In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitopes thereof encoded by a nucleic acid comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 8 (e.g., amino acids 374-456) of a nucleic acid encoding PDGFR-alpha. Thus, in one embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence of SEQ NO: 18, or a sequence substantially identical to the same. In another embodiment, the polypeptide consists of, or comprises, a sequence encoded by a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ NO: 17, or a sequence substantially identical to the same.

In another embodiment, the epitope consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence identical to the junctional region of PDGFR-alpha between exons 6 and 9 of SEQ ID NO: 18 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 17 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

Alternatively, an isolated polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope thereof may be encoded by a nucleic acid which is substantially identical to a nucleic acid of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof provided herein. Likewise, an isolated polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope thereof may be substantially identical to an oncogenic isoform or epitope thereof, as provided herein.

Methods of Preparing an Oncogenic Isoform or Epitope Fragment Thereof

The polypeptide oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof can be isolated from natural sources, or can be a product of chemical synthetic procedures, or can be produced by recombinant techniques from a prokaryotic or eukaryotic host.

The invention also provides methods of preparing an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof, comprising culturing host cells under conditions that permit expression of the oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof; and isolating the oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof, thereby preparing the oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof. In one embodiment, the invention provides a method of preparing a human oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof. Procedures for preparing a polypeptide using the above describe method are well known to those skilled in the

Isoform-Specific Inhibitors

The present invention provides, at least in part, isoformspecific inhibitors (e.g., antibody molecules, soluble receptor polypeptides and fusion forms thereof, peptides and functional variants thereof, and nucleic acid inhibitors), which inhibit and/or reduce one or more activities of the isoform, or interact with, or more preferably specifically bind to one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, or nucleic acids encoding one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof. In one embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is an isoform-binding molecule, e.g., an antibody molecule, or a nucleic acid inhibitor. In another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor is a soluble receptor polypeptide and a fusion form thereof, or a peptide and a functional variant thereof. In some embodiments, the isoform-binding molecules specifically bind to oncogenic isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, or nucleic acids encoding one or more oncogenic isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof.

Typical isoform-specific inhibitors (e.g., isoform-binding molecules) bind to one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, or nucleic acids encoding one or more isoform

polypeptides or fragments thereof, with high affinity, e.g., with an affinity constant of at least about $10^7 \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$, typically about $10^8 \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$, and more typically, about $10^9 \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$ to $10^{10} \,\mathrm{M}^{-1}$ or stronger; and reduce and/or inhibit one or more activities of the isoforms, e.g., oncogenic isoforms, in a hyperproliferative 5 (e.g., cancerous or malignant) cell and/or tissue. For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor may selectively and specifically reduce or inhibit an oncogenic isoform-associated activity chosen from one or more of: (i) binding of a ligand or co-receptor (e.g., FGF ligand (e.g., FGF8b, FGF2, FGF17 or 10 FGF18)) to FGFR2 isoform IIIc); (ii) receptor dimerization (e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc homo-dimerization or FGFR2 isoform IIIc with another receptor or receptor isoform heterodimerization); (iii) isoform signaling, e.g., FGFR2 isoform IIIc signaling; (iv) hyperproliferative (e.g., cancerous or 15 tumor) cell proliferation, growth and/or survival, for example, by induction of apoptosis of the hyperproliferative cell; and/or (v) angiogenesis and/or vascularization of a

As used herein, the term "specifically binds" refers to a 20 binding interaction that is determinative of the presence of a target (such a specific polypeptide or nucleic acid) in a population of proteins and other biologics. Thus, a binding molecule that "specifically binds" an oncogenic isoform is intended to mean that the compound binds an oncogenic 25 isoform of the invention, but does not bind to a non-oncogenic isoform that is derived from the same proto-oncogene. As the skilled artisan will recognize the isoform-binding molecule may show some degree of cross-reactivity between the oncogenic and non-oncogenic isoforms depending on the conditions used, e.g., target protein concentration, salt and buffer conditions used, among others. In certain embodiments, the term "specifically binds" or "specific binding" refers to a property of the isoform-binding molecule to bind to one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, or nucleic 35 acids encoding one or more isoform polypeptides or fragments thereof, with high affinity, e.g., with an affinity constant of at least about 10⁷ M⁻¹, typically about 10⁸ M⁻¹, and more typically, about 10⁹ M⁻¹ to 10¹⁰ M⁻¹ or stronger, and (2) preferentially bind to the isoform with an affinity that is at 40 least two-fold, 50-fold, 100-fold, 1000-fold, or more greater than its affinity for binding to the non-oncogenic isoform. In certain embodiments, isoform-binding molecule binds preferentially to an oncogenic isoform, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% 45 cross-reactivity with) to its non-oncogenic counterpart. Antibody Molecules

In one embodiment, the isoform-binding molecule is an antibody molecule that binds to a mammalian, e.g., human, isoform polypeptide or a fragment thereof (e.g., an Fab, 50 F(ab')₂, Fv, a single chain Fv fragment, or a camelid variant). For example, the antibody molecule binds to an isoform polypeptide or fragment expressed and/or associated with a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an 55 epitope, e.g., linear or conformational epitope, (e.g., an epitope as described herein) located or expressed primarily on the surface of a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a cancerous or tumor cell. In embodiments, the epitope recognized by the antibody molecule is expressed or associated with a hyper- 60 proliferative disease, e.g., a cancerous or malignant disease. For example, the epitope recognized by the antibody molecule is expressed or associated with an exon sequence predominantly expressed or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders; the epitope may be located at 65 the junctional region between two exons that are predominantly joined together in one or more cancerous or tumor cells

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or disorders, e.g., as a result of an in-frame exon deletion or the use of an alternatively spliced exon. Exemplary isoform polypeptides or fragments recognized by isoform-binding molecules of the invention include, but are not limited to, oncogenic isoforms of FGFR2, FGFR1, RON receptor tyrosine kinase, KIT receptor tyrosine kinase, PDGF and PDGF-receptor alpha. In one embodiment, the oncogenic isoform to which the antibody molecule binds is a human oncogenic isoform. In another embodiment, the polypeptide isoform to which the antibody molecule binds is a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope thereof listed in Table 1

In one embodiment, the antibody molecule specifically binds a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, or 18, or a substantially identical sequence thereto. In another embodiment, the antibody molecule specifically binds to the polypeptide FGFR2-IIIc isoform of SEQ ID NO: 2, 4, 6, or 8, but does not substantially bind to the polypeptide isoform of human FGFR2-IIIb. In another embodiment, the antibody molecule binds to the human FGFR2 polypeptide of e.g., SEQ ID NO: 19, but does not substantially bind to FGFR2-IIIb (e.g., SEQ ID NO: 21) or other isoforms of FGFR2 (e.g., SEQ ID NOs: 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 52 and/or 53, respectively).

In another embodiment, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of FGFR1, e.g., human FGFR1. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to isoform FGFR1L having a deletion of about 105 amino acids between exons 7 and 8, corresponding to part of immunoglobulin domain II (Ig-II) and part of Ig-III of FGFR1, thus forming a junctional region between II:III. For example, the antibody molecule binds preferentially to FGFR1L or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reactivity with) FGFR1 (e.g., non-oncogenic human FGFR1, e.g., FGFR1 isoform 4 (SEQ ID NO: 39), FGFR1 isoform 14 (SEQ ID NO: 40), FGFR1 isoform 16 (SEQ ID NO: 41), FGFR1 isoform 17 (SEQ ID NO: 42), FGFR1 isoform 3 (SEQ ID NO: 43), or FGFR1 isoform 18 (SEQ ID NO: 44). In those embodiments, the antibody molecule binds specifically to at least one epitope found at the junctional region between Ig-II and Ig-III of SEQ ID NO:10 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:9 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical

In yet other embodiments, the antibody molecule binds to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of RON receptor tyrosine kinase, e.g., human RON receptor tyrosine kinase. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to isoform RONΔ160 having an in-frame deletion of about 109 amino acids skipping exons 5 and 6 of the extracellular domain of RON, thus forming a junctional region between exon 4 and exon 7. For example, the antibody molecule binds preferentially to RONΔ160 or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reactivity with) RON receptor tyrosine kinase (e.g., non-oncogenic human RON receptor tyrosine kinase, e.g., SEQ ID NO: 45). In those embodiments, the antibody molecule binds specifically to at least one epitope found at the junctional region between exon 4 and exon 7 of SEQ ID NO: 12 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 11 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

In yet another embodiment, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of KIT receptor tyrosine kinase, e.g., human KIT receptor tyrosine kinase. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to a KIT isoform having a deletion of exon 11. For example, 5 the antibody molecule binds preferentially to exon 11-deleted KIT isoform (SEQ ID NO: 46) or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reactivity with) KIT (e.g., non-oncogenic human KIT, e.g., full-length receptor (SEQ ID NO: 47)). In those embodiments, the antibody molecule binds specifically to at least one epitope found at the junctional region between exons 10 and 12 of SEQ ID NO: 14 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:13 or a fragment thereof; 15 or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identi-

In yet another embodiment, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of PDGF, e.g., human PDGF. For example, the antibody mol- 20 ecule binds specifically to a PDGF isoform having an inframe deletion of exon 6. For example, the antibody molecule binds preferentially to exon 6-deleted PDGF isoform or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reac- 25 tivity with) PDGF (e.g., non-oncogenic human PDGF, e.g., PDGF isoform 1 (SEQ ID NO: 49)). In those embodiments, the antibody molecule binds specifically to at least one epitope found at the junctional region between exons 5 and 7 of SEQ ID NO: 16 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid 30 sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 15 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

In another embodiment, the antibody molecule binds specifically to an isoform, e.g., an oncogenic isoform, of PDGF 35 receptor alpha, e.g., human PDGF receptor alpha. For example, the antibody molecule binds specifically to a PDGFR-alpha isoform having an in-frame deletion of exons 7 and 8. For example, the antibody molecule binds preferentially to exon 7/8-deleted PDGFR-alpha isoform (SEQ ID 40 NO: 51) or a fragment thereof, but does not substantially bind to (e.g., shows less than 10%, 8%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1% cross-reactivity with) PDGFR-alpha (e.g., non-oncogenic human PDGFR-alpha, e.g., PDGFR-alpha isoform 1 (SEQ ID NO: 50) In those embodiments, the antibody molecule 45 binds specifically to at least one epitope found at the junctional region between exons 6 and 9 of SEO ID NO:18 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:17 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identi- 50 cal thereto.

As used herein, the term "antibody molecule" refers to a protein comprising at least one immunoglobulin variable domain sequence. The term antibody molecule includes, for example, full-length, mature antibodies and antigen-binding 55 fragments of an antibody. For example, an antibody molecule can include a heavy (H) chain variable domain sequence (abbreviated herein as VH), and a light (L) chain variable domain sequence (abbreviated herein as VL). In another example, an antibody molecule includes two heavy (H) chain 60 variable domain sequences and two light (L) chain variable domain sequence, thereby forming two antigen binding sites, such as Fab, Fab', F(ab')₂, Fc, Fd, Fd', Fv, single chain antibodies (scFv for example), single variable domain antibodies, diabodies (Dab) (bivalent and bispecific), and chimeric (e.g., 65 humanized) antibodies, which may be produced by the modification of whole antibodies or those synthesized de novo

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using recombinant DNA technologies. These functional antibody fragments retain the ability to selectively bind with their respective antigen or receptor. Antibodies and antibody fragments can be from any class of antibodies including, but not limited to, IgG, IgA, IgM, IgD, and IgE, and from any subclass (e.g., IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, and IgG4) of antibodies. The antibodies of the present invention can be monoclonal or polyclonal. The antibody can also be a human, humanized, CDR-grafted, or in vitro generated antibody. The antibody can have a heavy chain constant region chosen from, e.g., IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, or IgG4. The antibody can also have a light chain chosen from, e.g., kappa or lambda.

Examples of antigen-binding fragments include: (i) a Fab fragment, a monovalent fragment consisting of the VL, VH, CL and CH1 domains; (ii) a F(ab')2 fragment, a bivalent fragment comprising two Fab fragments linked by a disulfide bridge at the hinge region; (iii) a Fd fragment consisting of the VH and CH1 domains; (iv) a Fv fragment consisting of the VL and VH domains of a single arm of an antibody, (v) a diabody (dAb) fragment, which consists of a VH domain; (vi) a camelid or camelized variable domain; (vii) a single chain Fv (scFv), see e.g., Bird et al. (1988) *Science* 242:423-426; and Huston et al. (1988) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 85:5879-5883); (viii) a single domain antibody. These antibody fragments are obtained using conventional techniques known to those with skill in the art, and the fragments are screened for utility in the same manner as are intact antibodies.

The term "antibody" includes intact molecules as well as functional fragments thereof. Constant regions of the antibodies can be altered, e.g., mutated, to modify the properties of the antibody (e.g., to increase or decrease one or more of: Fc receptor binding, antibody glycosylation, the number of cysteine residues, effector cell function, or complement function).

Antibodies of the present invention can also be single domain antibodies. Single domain antibodies can include antibodies whose complementary determining regions are part of a single domain polypeptide. Examples include, but are not limited to, heavy chain antibodies, antibodies naturally devoid of light chains, single domain antibodies derived from conventional 4-chain antibodies, engineered antibodies and single domain scaffolds other than those derived from antibodies. Single domain antibodies may be any of the art, or any future single domain antibodies. Single domain antibodies may be derived from any species including, but not limited to mouse, human, camel, llama, fish, shark, goat, rabbit, and bovine. According to another aspect of the invention, a single domain antibody is a naturally occurring single domain antibody known as heavy chain antibody devoid of light chains. Such single domain antibodies are disclosed in WO 9404678, for example. For clarity reasons, this variable domain derived from a heavy chain antibody naturally devoid of light chain is known herein as a VHH or nanobody to distinguish it from the conventional VH of four chain immunoglobulins. Such a VHH molecule can be derived from antibodies raised in Camelidae species, for example in camel, llama, dromedary, alpaca and guanaco. Other species besides Camelidae may produce heavy chain antibodies naturally devoid of light chain; such VHHs are within the scope of the invention.

The VH and VL regions can be subdivided into regions of hypervariability, termed "complementarity determining regions" (CDR), interspersed with regions that are more conserved, termed "framework regions" (FR). The extent of the framework region and CDRs has been precisely defined by a number of methods (see, Kabat, E. A., et al. (1991) Sequences of Proteins of Immunological Interest, Fifth Edition, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, NIH Publication

No. 91-3242; Chothia, C. et al. (1987) J. Mol. Biol. 196:901-917; and the AbM definition used by Oxford Molecular's AbM antibody modeling software. See, generally, e.g., Protein Sequence and Structure Analysis of Antibody Variable Domains. In: Antibody Engineering Lab Manual (Ed.: 5 Duebel, S, and Kontermann, R., Springer-Verlag, Heidelberg). Generally, unless specifically indicated, the following definitions are used: AbM definition of CDR1 of the heavy chain variable domain and Kabat definitions for the other CDRs. In addition, embodiments of the invention described 10 with respect to Kabat or AbM CDRs may also be implemented using Chothia hypervariable loops. Each VH and VL typically includes three CDRs and four FRs, arranged from amino-terminus to carboxy-terminus in the following order: FR1, CDR1, FR2, CDR2, FR3, CDR3, FR4.

As used herein, an "immunoglobulin variable domain sequence" refers to an amino acid sequence which can form the structure of an immunoglobulin variable domain. For example, the sequence may include all or part of the amino acid sequence of a naturally-occurring variable domain. For 20 example, the sequence may or may not include one, two, or more N- or C-terminal amino acids, or may include other alterations that are compatible with formation of the protein structure.

The term "antigen-binding site" refers to the part of an 25 antibody molecule that comprises determinants that form an interface that binds to the isoform polypeptide, or an epitope thereof. With respect to proteins (or protein mimetics), the antigen-binding site typically includes one or more loops (of at least four amino acids or amino acid mimics) that form an 30 interface that binds to the isoform polypeptide. Typically, the antigen-binding site of an antibody molecule includes at least one or two CDRs, or more typically at least three, four, five or

The terms "monoclonal antibody" or "monoclonal anti- 35 body composition" as used herein refer to a preparation of antibody molecules of single molecular composition. A monoclonal antibody composition displays a single binding specificity and affinity for a particular epitope. A monoclonal ods that do not use hybridoma technology (e.g., recombinant

An "effectively human" protein is a protein that does not evoke a neutralizing antibody response, e.g., the human antimurine antibody (HAMA) response. HAMA can be problem- 45 atic in a number of circumstances, e.g., if the antibody molecule is administered repeatedly, e.g., in treatment of a chronic or recurrent disease condition. A HAMA response can make repeated antibody administration potentially ineffective because of an increased antibody clearance from the 50 serum (see, e.g., Saleh et al., Cancer Immunol. Immunother., 32:180-190 (1990)) and also because of potential allergic reactions (see, e.g., LoBuglio et al., Hybridoma, 5:5117-5123 (1986)).

The anti-isoform antibody can be a polyclonal or a mono- 55 clonal antibody. In other embodiments, the antibody can be recombinantly produced, e.g., produced by phage display or by combinatorial methods.

Phage display and combinatorial methods for generating anti-isoform antibodies are known in the art (as described in, 60 e.g., Ladner et al. U.S. Pat. No. 5,223,409; Kang et al. International Publication No. WO 92/18619; Dower et al. International Publication No. WO 91/17271; Winter et al. International Publication WO 92/20791; Markland et al. International Publication No. WO 92/15679; Breitling et al. 65 International Publication WO 93/01288; McCafferty et al. International Publication No. WO 92/01047; Garrard et al.

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International Publication No. WO 92/09690; Ladner et al. International Publication No. WO 90/02809; Fuchs et al. (1991) Bio/Technology 9:1370-1372; Hay et al. (1992) Hum Antibod Hybridomas 3:81-85; Huse et al. (1989) Science 246:1275-1281; Griffths et al. (1993) EMBO J. 12:725-734; Hawkins et al. (1992) J Mol Biol 226:889-896; Clackson et al. (1991) Nature 352:624-628; Gram et al. (1992) PNAS 89:3576-3580; Garrad et al. (1991) Bio/Technology 9:1373-1377; Hoogenboom et al. (1991) Nuc Acid Res 19:4133-4137; and Barbas et al. (1991) PNAS 88:7978-7982, the contents of all of which are incorporated by reference herein).

In one embodiment, the anti-isoform antibody is a fully human antibody (e.g., an antibody made in a mouse which has been genetically engineered to produce an antibody from a human immunoglobulin sequence), or a non-human antibody, e.g., a rodent (mouse or rat), goat, primate (e.g., monkey), camel antibody. Preferably, the non-human antibody is a rodent (mouse or rat antibody). Methods of producing rodent antibodies are known in the art.

Human monoclonal antibodies can be generated using transgenic mice carrying the human immunoglobulin genes rather than the mouse system. Splenocytes from these transgenic mice immunized with the antigen of interest are used to produce hybridomas that secrete human mAbs with specific affinities for epitopes from a human protein (see, e.g., Wood et al. International Application WO 91/00906, Kucherlapati et al. PCT publication WO 91/10741; Lonberg et al. International Application WO 92/03918; Kay et al. International Application 92/03917; Lonberg, N. et al. 1994 Nature 368: 856-859; Green, L. L. et al. 1994 Nature Genet. 7:13-21; Morrison, S. L. et al. 1994 Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 81:6851-6855; Bruggeman et al. 1993 Year Immunol 7:33-40; Tuaillon et al. 1993 PNAS 90:3720-3724; Bruggeman et al. 1991 Eur J Immunol 21:1323-1326).

An anti-isoform antibody can be one in which the variable region, or a portion thereof, e.g., the CDRs, are generated in a non-human organism, e.g., a rat or mouse. Chimeric, CDRgrafted, and humanized antibodies are within the invention. Antibodies generated in a non-human organism, e.g., a rat or antibody can be made by hybridoma technology or by meth- 40 mouse, and then modified, e.g., in the variable framework or constant region, to decrease antigenicity in a human are within the invention.

Chimeric antibodies can be produced by recombinant DNA techniques known in the art. For example, a gene encoding the Fc constant region of a murine (or other species) monoclonal antibody molecule is digested with restriction enzymes to remove the region encoding the murine Fc, and the equivalent portion of a gene encoding a human Fc constant region is substituted (see Robinson et al., International Patent Publication PCT/US86/02269; Akira, et al., European Patent Application 184,187; Taniguchi, M., European Patent Application 171,496; Morrison et al., European Patent Application 173,494; Neuberger et al., International Application WO 86/01533; Cabilly et al. U.S. Pat. No. 4,816,567; Cabilly et al., European Patent Application 125,023; Better et al. (1988 Science 240:1041-1043); Liu et al. (1987) PNAS 84:3439-3443; Liu et al., 1987, J. Immunol. 139:3521-3526; Sun et al. (1987) *PNAS* 84:214-218; Nishimura et al., 1987, Canc. Res. 47:999-1005; Wood et al. (1985) Nature 314:446-449; and Shaw et al., 1988, J. Natl Cancer Inst. 80:1553-

A humanized or CDR-grafted antibody will have at least one or two but generally all three recipient CDRs (of heavy and or light immuoglobulin chains) replaced with a donor CDR. The antibody may be replaced with at least a portion of a non-human CDR or only some of the CDRs may be replaced with non-human CDRs. It is only necessary to replace the

number of CDRs required for binding of the humanized antibody to an isoform. Preferably, the donor will be a rodent antibody, e.g., a rat or mouse antibody, and the recipient will be a human framework or a human consensus framework. Typically, the immunoglobulin providing the CDRs is called 5 the "donor" and the immunoglobulin providing the framework is called the "acceptor." In one embodiment, the donor immunoglobulin is a non-human (e.g., rodent). The acceptor framework is a naturally-occurring (e.g., a human) framework or a consensus framework, or a sequence about 85% or 10 higher, preferably 90%, 95%, 99% or higher identical thereto.

As used herein, the term "consensus sequence" refers to the sequence formed from the most frequently occurring amino acids (or nucleotides) in a family of related sequences (See e.g., Winnaker, From Genes to Clones (Verlagsgesellschaft, 15 Weinheim, Germany 1987). In a family of proteins, each position in the consensus sequence is occupied by the amino acid occurring most frequently at that position in the family. If two amino acids occur equally frequently, either can be included in the consensus sequence. A "consensus framework" refers to the framework region in the consensus immunoglobulin sequence.

An antibody can be humanized by methods known in the art. Humanized antibodies can be generated by replacing sequences of the Fv variable region which are not directly 25 involved in antigen binding with equivalent sequences from human Fv variable regions. General methods for generating humanized antibodies are provided by Morrison, S. L., 1985, Science 229:1202-1207, by Oi et al., 1986, BioTechniques 4:214, and by Queen et al. U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089, U.S. Pat. 30 No. 5,693,761 and U.S. Pat. No. 5,693,762, the contents of all of which are hereby incorporated by reference. Those methods include isolating, manipulating, and expressing the nucleic acid sequences that encode all or part of immunoglobulin Fv variable regions from at least one of a heavy or light 35 chain. Sources of such nucleic acid are known to those skilled in the art and, for example, may be obtained from a hybridoma producing an antibody against the isoform. The recombinant DNA encoding the humanized antibody, or fragment thereof, can be cloned into an appropriate expression vector. 40

Humanized or CDR-grafted antibodies can be produced by CDR-grafting or CDR substitution, wherein one, two, or all CDRs of an immunoglobulin chain can be replaced. See e.g., U.S. Pat. No. 5,225,539; Jones et al. 1986 *Nature* 321:552-525; Verhoeyan et al. 1988 *Science* 239:1534; Beidler et al. 45 1988 *J. Immunol.* 141:4053-4060; Winter U.S. Pat. No. 5,225,539, the contents of all of which are hereby expressly incorporated by reference. Winter describes a CDR-grafting method which may be used to prepare the humanized antibodies of the present invention (UK Patent Application GB 50 2188638A, filed on Mar. 26, 1987; Winter U.S. Pat. No. 5,225,539), the contents of which is expressly incorporated by reference.

Also within the scope of the invention are humanized antibodies in which specific amino acids have been substituted, 55 deleted or added. Preferred humanized antibodies have amino acid substitutions in the framework region, such as to improve binding to the antigen. For example, a humanized antibody will have framework residues identical to the donor framework residue or to another amino acid other than the recipient framework residue. To generate such antibodies, a selected, small number of acceptor framework residues of the humanized immunoglobulin chain can be replaced by the corresponding donor amino acids. Preferred locations of the substitutions include amino acid residues adjacent to the CDR, or 65 which are capable of interacting with a CDR (see e.g., U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089). Criteria for selecting amino acids from

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the donor are described in U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089, e.g., columns 12-16 of U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089, the e.g., columns 12-16 of U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference. Other techniques for humanizing antibodies are described in Padlan et al. EP 519596 A1, published on Dec. 23, 1992.

In one embodiment, an antibody can be made by immunizing with purified anti-isoform antigen, or a fragment or epitope thereof, e.g., a fragment described herein, membrane associated antigen, tissue, e.g., crude tissue preparations, whole cells, preferably living cells, lysed cells, or cell fractions, e.g., membrane fractions.

The anti-isoform antibody can be a single chain antibody. A single-chain antibody (scFV) may be engineered (see, for example, Colcher, D. et al. (1999) *Ann NY Acad Sci* 880:263-80; and Reiter, Y. (1996) *Clin Cancer Res* 2:245-52). The single chain antibody can be dimerized or multimerized to generate multivalent antibodies having specificities for different epitopes of the same target isoform protein.

In yet other embodiments, the antibody molecule has a heavy chain constant region chosen from, e.g., the heavy chain constant regions of IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, IgG4, IgM, IgA1, IgA2, IgD, and IgE; particularly, chosen from, e.g., the (e.g., human) heavy chain constant regions of IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, and IgG4. In another embodiment, the antibody molecule has a light chain constant region chosen from, e.g., the (e.g., human) light chain constant regions of kappa or lambda. The constant region can be altered, e.g., mutated, to modify the properties of the antibody (e.g., to increase or decrease one or more of: Fc receptor binding, antibody glycosylation, the number of cysteine residues, effector cell function, and/or complement function). In one embodiment the antibody has: effector function; and can fix complement. In other embodiments the antibody does not; recruit effector cells; or fix complement. In another embodiment, the antibody has reduced or no ability to bind an Fc receptor. For example, it is a isotype or subtype, fragment or other mutant, which does not support binding to an Fc receptor, e.g., it has a mutagenized or deleted Fc receptor binding region.

Methods for altering an antibody constant region are known in the art. Antibodies with altered function, e.g. altered affinity for an effector ligand, such as FcR on a cell, or the C1 component of complement can be produced by replacing at least one amino acid residue in the constant portion of the antibody with a different residue (see e.g., EP 388,151 A1, U.S. Pat. No. 5,624,821 and U.S. Pat. No. 5,648,260, the contents of all of which are hereby incorporated by reference). Similar type of alterations could be described which if applied to the murine, or other species immunoglobulin would reduce or eliminate these functions.

An isoform-specific inhibitor (e.g., an isoform-binding molecule) can be derivatized or linked to another functional molecule (e.g., another peptide or protein). As used herein, a "derivatized" antibody molecule is one that has been modified. Methods of derivatization include but are not limited to the addition of a fluorescent moiety, a radionucleotide, a toxin, an enzyme or an affinity ligand such as biotin. Accordingly, the antibody molecules of the invention are intended to include derivatized and otherwise modified forms of the antibodies described herein, including immunoadhesion molecules. For example, an antibody molecule can be functionally linked (by chemical coupling, genetic fusion, noncovalent association or otherwise) to one or more other molecular entities, such as another antibody (e.g., a bispecific antibody or a diabody), a detectable agent, a cytotoxic agent, a pharmaceutical agent, and/or a protein or peptide that can

mediate association of the antibody or antibody portion with another molecule (such as a streptavidin core region or a polyhistidine tag).

One type of derivatized antibody molecule is produced by crosslinking two or more antibodies (of the same type or of 5 different types, e.g., to create bispecific antibodies). Suitable crosslinkers include those that are heterobifunctional, having two distinctly reactive groups separated by an appropriate spacer (e.g., m-maleimidobenzoyl-N-hydroxysuccinimide ester) or homobifunctional (e.g., disuccinimidyl suberate). 10 Such linkers are available from Pierce Chemical Company, Rockford, Ill.

Useful detectable agents with which an antibody molecule of the invention may be derivatized (or labeled) to include fluorescent compounds, various enzymes, prosthetic groups, 15 luminescent materials, bioluminescent materials, fluorescent emitting metal atoms, e.g., europium (Eu), and other anthanides, and radioactive materials (described below). Exemplary fluorescent detectable agents include fluorescein, fluorescein isothiocyanate, rhodamine, 5-dimethylamine-1- 20 napthalenesulfonyl chloride, phycoerythrin and the like. An antibody may also be derivatized with detectable enzymes, such as alkaline phosphatase, horseradish peroxidase, β-galactosidase, acetylcholinesterase, glucose oxidase and the like. When an antibody is derivatized with a detectable 25 enzyme, it is detected by adding additional reagents that the enzyme uses to produce a detectable reaction product. For example, when the detectable agent horseradish peroxidase is present, the addition of hydrogen peroxide and diaminobenzidine leads to a colored reaction product, which is detectable. An antibody molecule may also be derivatized with a prosthetic group (e.g., streptavidin/biotin and avidin/biotin). For example, an antibody may be derivatized with biotin, and detected through indirect measurement of avidin or streptavidin binding. Examples of suitable fluorescent materials 35 include umbelliferone, fluorescein, fluorescein isothiocyanate, rhodamine, dichlorotriazinylamine fluorescein, dansyl chloride or phycoerythrin; an example of a luminescent material includes luminol; and examples of bioluminescent materials include luciferase, luciferin, and aequorin.

Labeled antibody molecule can be used, for example, diagnostically and/or experimentally in a number of contexts, including (i) to isolate a predetermined antigen by standard techniques, such as affinity chromatography or immunoprecipitation; (ii) to detect a predetermined antigen (e.g., in a 45 cellular lysate or cell supernatant) in order to evaluate the abundance and pattern of expression of the protein; (iii) to monitor protein levels in tissue as part of a clinical testing procedure, e.g., to determine the efficacy of a given treatment regimen.

An anti-isoform antibody molecules may be conjugated to another molecular entity, typically a label or a therapeutic (e.g., a cytotoxic or cytostatic) agent or moiety.

Radioactive isotopes can be used in diagnostic or therapeutic applications. Radioactive isotopes that can be coupled to 55 the anti-PSMA antibodies include, but are not limited to α -, β -, or γ -emitters, or β - and γ -emitters. Such radioactive isotopes include, but are not limited to iodine (131 I or 125 I), yttrium (90 Y), lutetium (177 Lu), actinium (225 Ac), praseodymium, astatine (211 At), rhenium (186 Re), bismuth (212 Bi or 60 P), rhodium (111 In), technetium (99 mTc), phosphorus (32 P), rhodium (188 Rh), sulfur (35 S), carbon (14 C), tritium (3 H), chromium (51 Cr), chlorine (36 Cl), cobalt (57 Co or 58 Co), iron (59 Fe), selenium (75 Se), or gallium (67 Ga). Radioisotopes useful as therapeutic agents include yttrium (90 Y), 65 lutetium (177 Lu), actinium (225 Ac), praseodymium, astatine (211 At), rhenium (186 Re), bismuth (212 Bi or 213 Bi), and

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rhodium (¹⁸⁸Rh). Radioisotopes useful as labels, e.g., for use in diagnostics, include iodine (¹³¹I or ¹²⁵I), indium (¹¹¹In), technetium (⁹⁹mTc), phosphorus (³²P), carbon (¹⁴C), and tritium (³H), or one or more of the therapeutic isotopes listed above.

The invention provides radiolabeled antibody molecules and methods of labeling the same. In one embodiment, a method of labeling an antibody molecule is disclosed. The method includes contacting an antibody molecule, with a chelating agent, to thereby produce a conjugated antibody. The conjugated antibody is radiolabeled with a radioisotope, e.g., ¹¹¹Indium, ⁹⁰Yttrium and ¹⁷⁷Lutetium, to thereby produce a labeled antibody molecule.

As is discussed above, the antibody molecule can be conjugated to a therapeutic agent. Therapeutically active radioisotopes have already been mentioned. Examples of other therapeutic agents include Taxol®, cytochalasin B, gramicidin D, ethidium bromide, emetine, mitomycin, etoposide, tenoposide, vincristine, vinblastine, colchicine, doxorubicin, daunorubicin, dihydroxy anthracin dione, mitoxantrone, mithramycin, actinomycin D, 1-dehydrotestosterone, glucocorticoids, procaine, tetracaine, lidocaine, propranolol, puromycin, maytansinoids, e.g., maytansinol (see U.S. Pat. No. 5,208,020), CC-1065 (see U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,475,092, 5,585, 499, 5,846, 545) and analogs or homologs thereof. Therapeutic agents include, but are not limited to, antimetabolites (e.g., methotrexate, 6-mercaptopurine, 6-thioguanine, cytarabine, 5-fluorouracil decarbazine), alkylating agents (e.g., mechlorethamine, thioepa chlorambucil, CC-1065, melphalan, carmustine (BSNU) and lomustine (CCNU), cyclothosphamide, busulfan, dibromomannitol, streptozotocin, mitomycin C, and cis-dichlorodiamine platinum (II) (DDP) cisplatin), anthracyclinies (e.g., daunorubicin (foimerly daunomycin) and doxorubicin), antibiotics (e.g., dactinomycin (formerly actinomycin), bleomycin, mithramycin, and anthramycin (AMC)), and anti-mitotic agents (e.g., vincristine, vinblastine, Taxol® and maytansinoids).

The conjugates of the invention can be used for modifying a given biological response. The therapeutic agent is not to be construed as limited to classical chemical therapeutic agents. For example, the therapeutic agent may be a protein or polypeptide possessing a desired biological activity. Such proteins may include, for example, a toxin such as abrin, ricin A, pseudomonas exotoxin, diphtheria toxin, or a component thereof (e.g., a component of pseudomonas exotoxin is PE38); a protein such as tumor necrosis factor, interferon, nerve growth factor, platelet derived growth factor, tissue plasminogen activator, or, biological response modifiers such as, for example, lymphokines, interleukin-1 ("IL-1"), interleukin-2 ("IL-2"), interleukin-6 ("IL-6"), granulocyte macrophase colony stimulating factor ("GM-CSF"), granulocyte colony stimulating factor ("G-CSF"), or other growth factors. Similarly, the therapeutic agent can be a viral particle, e.g., a recombinant viral particle, that is conjugated (e.g., via a chemical linker) or fused (e.g., via a viral coat protein) to an anti-isoform antibody of the invention.

In one aspect, the invention features a method of providing a target binding molecule that specifically binds to an isoform receptor. For example, the target binding molecule is an antibody molecule. The method includes: providing a target protein that comprises at least a portion of non-human protein, the portion being homologous to (at least 70, 75, 80, 85, 87, 90, 92, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98% identical to) a corresponding portion of a human target protein, but differing by at least one amino acid (e.g., at least one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, or nine amino acids); obtaining an antibody molecule that specifically binds to the antigen; and evaluating efficacy

of the binding agent in modulating activity of the target protein. The method can further include administering the binding agent (e.g., antibody molecule) or a derivative (e.g., a humanized antibody molecule) to a human subject.

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This invention provides an isolated nucleic acid molecule 5 encoding the above antibody molecule, vectors and host cells thereof. The nucleic acid molecule includes but is not limited to RNA, genomic DNA and cDNA.

Soluble Receptors and Fusions Thereof

In other embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitor is a 10 full length or a fragment of an isoform receptor polypeptide, e.g., an inhibitory ligand-binding domain of an isoform receptor polypeptide. For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor can be a soluble form of an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor (e.g., a soluble form of mammalian (e.g., human) FGFR2 isoform IIIc comprising a ligand (e.g., FGF)-binding domain. For example, the isoform-specific inhibitor can include about amino acids 1 to 262 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor (FIG. 13C; amino acids 1-262 of SEQ ID NO: 55, including the signal sequence); or an amino acid sequence 20 substantially identical thereto. Alternatively, the isoform-specific inhibitor can include an amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence from about nucleotides 1 to 786 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIc (FIG. 13B; nucleotides 1-786 of SEQ ID NO: 54); or an amino acid sequence substantially 25 identical thereto.

As used herein, a "soluble form of an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor" or a "soluble form of an isoform receptor polypeptide" is a receptor isoform, e.g., an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor polypeptide incapable of anchoring itself in a membrane. 30 Such soluble polypeptides include, for example, an isoform receptor polypeptide, e.g., an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor polypeptide, as described herein that lack a sufficient portion of their membrane spanning domain to anchor the polypeptide or are modified such that the membrane spanning domain 35 is non-functional. Typically, the soluble isoform receptor polypeptide retains the ability of binding to an isoform ligand, e.g., an FGF ligand. E.g., a soluble fragment of an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor polypeptide (e.g., a fragment of an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor comprising the extracellular 40 domain of human FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor, including about amino acids 1 to 262 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor (FIG. 13C; amino acids 1-262 of SEQ ID NO: 55, including the signal sequence); or an amino acid sequence substantially identical thereto. A soluble FGFR2 isoform IIIc 45 receptor polypeptide can additionally include, e.g., be fused to, a second moiety, e.g., a polypeptide (e.g., an immunoglobulin chain, a GST, Lex-A or MBP polypeptide sequence). For example, a fusion protein can includes at least a fragment of an FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor polypeptide, which is 50 capable of binding an FGF ligand, fused to a second moiety, e.g., a polypeptide (e.g., an immunoglobulin chain, an Fc fragment, a heavy chain constant regions of the various isotypes, including: IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, IgG4, IgM, IgA1, IgA2, IgD, and IgE).

A soluble form of an isoform receptor polypeptide can be used alone or functionally linked (e.g., by chemical coupling, genetic or polypeptide fusion, non-covalent association or otherwise) to a second moiety, e.g., an immunoglobulin Fc domain, serum albumin, pegylation, a GST, Lex-A or an MBP 60 polypeptide sequence. As used herein, a "fusion protein" refers to a protein containing two or more operably associated, e.g., linked, moieties, e.g., protein moieties. Typically, the moieties are covalently associated. The moieties can be directly associated, or connected via a spacer or linker.

The fusion proteins may additionally include a linker sequence joining the first moiety, e.g., a soluble isoform 50

receptor, to the second moiety. For example, the fusion protein can include a peptide linker, e.g., a peptide linker of about 4 to 20, more preferably, 5 to 10, amino acids in length; the peptide linker is 8 amino acids in length. Each of the amino acids in the peptide linker is selected from the group consisting of Gly, Ser, Asn, Thr and Ala; the peptide linker includes a Gly-Ser element. In other embodiments, the fusion protein includes a peptide linker and the peptide linker includes a sequence having the formula (Ser-Gly-Gly-Gly-Gly)y wherein y is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8 (SEQ ID NOs: 73-80).

For example, a soluble form of an isoform receptor polypeptide can be fused to a heavy chain constant region of the various isotypes, including: IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, IgG4, IgM, IgA1, IgA2, IgD, and IgE). For example, the fusion protein can include the extracellular domain of a human FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor (or a sequence homologous thereto), and, e.g., fused to, a human immunoglobulin Fc chain, e.g., human IgG (e.g., human IgG1 or human IgG2, or a mutated form thereof). The Fc sequence can be mutated at one or more amino acids to enhance or reduce effector cell function, Fc receptor binding and/or complement activity. For example, the constant region is mutated at positions 296 (M to Y), 298 (S to T), 300 (T to E), 477 (H to K) and 478 (N to F) of SEQ ID NO: 55 to alter Fc receptor binding. One exemplary fusion protein that includes the amino acid sequence from about amino acids 1 to 262 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIc receptor (FIG. 13C; amino acids 1-262 of SEQ ID NO: 55) fused via an Arg-Ser linker to a human IgG1 Fc is shown in FIG. 13C (SEQ ID NO: 55).

In another embodiment, the fusion protein is includes a heterologous signal sequence (i.e., a polypeptide sequence that is not present in a polypeptide encoded by a receptor nucleic acid) at its N-terminus. For example, the native receptor signal sequence can be removed and replaced with a signal sequence from another protein. In certain host cells (e.g., mammalian host cells), expression and/or secretion of receptor can be increased through use of a heterologous signal sequence.

A chimeric or fusion protein of the invention can be produced by standard recombinant DNA techniques. For example, DNA fragments coding for the different polypeptide sequences are ligated together in-frame in accordance with conventional techniques, e.g., by employing blunt-55 ended or stagger-ended termini for ligation, restriction enzyme digestion to provide for appropriate termini, filling-in of cohesive ends as appropriate, alkaline phosphatase treatment to avoid undesirable joining, and enzymatic ligation. In another embodiment, the fusion gene can be synthesized by conventional techniques including automated DNA synthesizers. Alternatively, PCR amplification of gene fragments can be carried out using anchor primers that give rise to complementary overhangs between two consecutive gene fragments that can subsequently be annealed and reamplified to generate a chimeric gene sequence (see, for example, Ausubel et al. (eds.) Current Protocols in Molecular Biology, John Wiley & Sons, 1992). Moreover, many expression vec-

tors are commercially available that encode a fusion moiety (e.g., an Fc region of an immunoglobulin heavy chain). A receptor encoding nucleic acid can be cloned into such an expression vector such that the fusion moiety is linked inframe to the immunoglobulin protein.

In some embodiments, receptor fusion polypeptides exist as oligomers, such as dimers or trimers.

In other embodiments, the receptor polypeptide moiety is provided as a variant receptor polypeptide having a mutation in the naturally-occurring receptor sequence (wild type) that 10 results in higher affinity (relative to the non-mutated sequence) binding of the receptor polypeptide to a corresponding ligand.

In other embodiments, additional amino acid sequences can be added to the N- or C-terminus of the fusion protein to 15 facilitate expression, steric flexibility, detection and/or isolation or purification. The second polypeptide is preferably soluble. In some embodiments, the second polypeptide enhances the half-life, (e.g., the serum half-life) of the linked polypeptide. In some embodiments, the second polypeptide 20 includes a sequence that facilitates association of the fusion polypeptide with a second polypeptide. In embodiments, the second polypeptide includes at least a region of an immunoglobulin polypeptide. Immunoglobulin fusion polypeptides are known in the art and are described in e.g., U.S. Pat. Nos. 25 5,516,964; 5,225,538; 5,428,130; 5,514,582; 5,714,147; and 5,455,165. For example, a soluble form of a receptor can be fused to a heavy chain constant region of the various isotypes, including: IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, IgG4, IgM, IgA1, IgA2, IgD, and IgE). Typically, the fusion protein can include the extracellular domain of a human receptor (or a sequence homologous thereto), and, e.g., fused to, a human immunoglobulin Fc chain, e.g., human IgG (e.g., human IgG1 or human IgG2, or a mutated form thereof).

The Fc sequence can be mutated at one or more amino 35 acids to reduce effector cell function, Fc receptor binding and/or complement activity. Methods for altering an antibody constant region are known in the art. Antibodies with altered function, e.g. altered affinity for an effector ligand, such as FcR on a cell, or the C1 component of complement can be 40 produced by replacing at least one amino acid residue in the constant portion of the antibody with a different residue (see e.g., EP 388,151 A1, U.S. Pat. No. 5,624,821 and U.S. Pat. No. 5,648,260). Similar type of alterations could be described bulin would increase or decrease these functions. For example, it is possible to alter the affinity of an Fc region of an antibody (e.g., an IgG, such as a human IgG) for an FcR (e.g., Fc gamma R1), or for C1q binding by replacing the specified residue(s) with a residue(s) having an appropriate function- 50 ality on its side chain, or by introducing a charged functional group, such as glutamate or aspartate, or perhaps an aromatic non-polar residue such as phenylalanine, tyrosine, tryptophan or alanine (see e.g., U.S. Pat. No. 5,624,821).

In embodiments, the second polypeptide has less effector 55 function that the effector function of a Fc region of a wildtype immunoglobulin heavy chain. Fc effector function includes for example, Fc receptor binding, complement fixation and T cell depleting activity (see for example, U.S. Pat. No. 6,136,310). Methods for assaying T cell depleting activ- 60 ity, Fc effector function, and antibody stability are known in the art. In one embodiment, the second polypeptide has low or no detectable affinity for the Fc receptor. In an alternative embodiment, the second polypeptide has low or no detectable affinity for complement protein C1q. In other embodiments, 65 the second polypeptide has increased effector cell function, e.g., increased binding to an Fc receptor (e.g., FcyRI,

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FcyRIIA, FcyRIIB, FcyRIIIA and FcRn receptors) as described in, for example, Shields et al. (JBC, 276:6591-6604, 2001) and U.S. Pat. No. 6,737,056.

It will be understood that the antibody molecules and soluble receptor or fusion proteins described herein can be functionally linked (e.g., by chemical coupling, genetic fusion, non-covalent association or otherwise) to one or more other molecular entities, such as an antibody (e.g., a bispecific or a multispecific antibody), toxins, radioisotopes, cytotoxic or cytostatic agents, among others.

Peptides or Functional Variants Thereof

In yet another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor includes a peptide or a functional variant thereof (e.g., a functional analog or derivative thereof).

As used herein, an "analog" of a peptide refers to a compound wherein the amino acid sequence of the compound is the same as that of the peptide except for up to 10, typically up to 8, up to 6, up to 5, up to 4, up to 3, up to 2, or up to 1 amino acid insertions, deletions, and/or substitutions of the amino acid sequence of the peptide. Typically, an analog binds to the same biological receptor as the peptide and thus displays at least some of the biological activity of the peptide. The peptide may be "derivatized" or linked to another functional molecule (e.g., another peptide or protein, e.g., a carrier protein), and/or by the addition of a fluorescent moiety, a radionucleotide, a toxin, an enzyme, polyethylene glycol (PEG), or an affinity ligand such as biotin.

As used herein, the term "carrier protein" is a protein or peptide that improves the production of antibodies to a protein to which it is associated and/or can be used to detect a protein with which it is associated. Many different carrier proteins can be used for coupling with peptides for immunization purposes. The choice of which carrier to use should be based on immunogenicity, solubility, whether adequate conjugation with the carrier can be achieved and screening assays used to identify antibodies to target proteins. The two most commonly used carriers are keyhole limpet hemocyanin (KLH) and bovine serum albumin (BSA). Other examples include secretory alkaline phosphatase (SEAP), horseradish peroxidase, luciferase, beta-galactosidase, IgG Fc (gamma chain), Glutathione-S-Transferase (GST), polyhistidine containing tags and other enzymes like beta-lactamase, other secretary proteins or peptides.

A modified peptide, conjugate or compound of the invenwhich if applied to the murine, or other species immunoglo- 45 tion comprises a reactive group covalently attached to the peptide or protein. The reactive group is chosen for its ability to form a stable covalent bond with a serum protein or peptide, for example, by reacting with one or more amino groups, hydroxyl groups, or thiol groups on the serum protein or peptide. Typically, a reactive group reacts with only one amino group, hydroxyl group, or thiol group on the serum protein or peptide. Typically, a reactive group reacts with a specific amino group, hydroxyl group, or thiol group on the serum protein or peptide. A conjugate of the invention comprises a modified peptide, which is covalently attached to a serum protein or peptide via a reaction of the reactive group with an amino group, hydroxyl group, or thiol group on the serum protein or peptide. Thus, a conjugate of the invention comprises a modified peptide, in which a residue of the reactive group has formed a covalent bond to a serum protein or peptide. As used herein, "a residue of a reactive group" or "a reactive group residue" refers to the chemical structure resulting from covalent bond formation between the reactive group and another moiety, e.g., a peptide or protein present in blood. In embodiments of the modified peptides, conjugates or compounds of the invention, the reactive group is a maleimide containing group selected from gamma-maleimide-butryla-

mide (GMBA), maleimido propionic acid (MPA), N-hydrox-ysuccinimide (NHS), N-hydroxy-sulfosuccinimide (sulfo-NHS), maleimide-benzoyl-succinimide (MBS) and gamma-maleimido-butyryloxy succinimide ester (GMBS).

The peptides of the invention, including peptide linker 5 groups, may be synthesized by standard methods of solid or solution phase peptide chemistry. A summary of the solid phase techniques may be found in Stewart and Young (1963) *Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis*, W. H. Freeman Co. (San Francisco), and Meienhofer (1973) *Hormonal Proteins and Peptides*, Academic Press (New York). For classical solution synthesis see Schroder and Lupke, *The Peptides, Vol.* 1, Academic Press (New York).

In general, these methods comprise the sequential addition of one or more amino acids or suitably protected amino acids to a growing peptide chain. Normally, either the amino or carboxyl group of the first amino acid is protected by a suitable protecting group. The protected amino acid is then either attached to an inert solid support or utilized in solution by adding the next amino acid in the sequence having the com- 20 plimentary (amino or carboxyl) group suitably protected and under conditions suitable for forming the amide linkage. The protecting group is then removed from this newly added amino acid residue and the next amino acid (suitably protected) is added, and so forth. After all the desired amino acids 25 have been linked in the proper sequence, any remaining protecting groups (and any solid support) are removed sequentially or concurrently to afford the final peptide. By simple modification of this general procedure, it is possible to add more than one amino acid at a time to a growing chain, for 30 example, by coupling (under conditions which do not racemize chiral centers) a protected tripeptide with a properly protected dipeptide to form, after deprotection, a pentapep-

In certain embodiments, the peptides of the invention are 35 synthesized with amino- and carboxy-protecting groups for use as pro-drugs. Protecting groups are chemical moieties which block a reactive group on the peptide to prevent undesirable reactions. In one embodiment, a modified peptide of the invention is synthesized with one or more protecting 40 groups that are designed to be cleaved in vivo, thereby exposing the reactive group or groups of the modified peptide to serum proteins after administration of the peptide to a subject.

The term "amino-protecting group" refers to those groups intended to protect the amino-terminal end of an amino acid 45 or peptide or to protect the amino group of an amino acid or peptide against undesirable reactions. Commonly used amino-protecting groups are disclosed in Greene (1981) *Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis* (John Wiley & Sons, New York), which is hereby incorporated by reference. Additionally, protecting groups can be used which are readily cleaved in vivo, for example, by enzymatic hydrolysis, thereby exposing the amino group for reaction with serum proteins in vivo.

The term "carboxy protecting group" refers to a carboxylic 55 acid protecting ester or amide group employed to block or protect the carboxylic acid functionality. Carboxy protecting groups are disclosed in Greene, "Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis" pp. 152-186 (1981), which is hereby incorporated by reference. Additionally, a carboxy protecting group can be used as a pro-drug whereby the carboxy protecting group can be readily cleaved in vivo, for example by enzymatic hydrolysis, thereby exposing the carboxy group for reaction with serum proteins in vivo. Such carboxy protecting groups are well known to those skilled in the art, 65 having been extensively used in the protection of carboxyl groups in the penicillin and cephalosporin fields as described

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in U.S. Pat. Nos. 3,840,556 and 3,719,667, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

Preferred carboxy-protected peptides of the invention are peptides wherein the protected carboxy group is a lower alkyl, cycloalkyl or arylalkyl ester, for example, methyl ester, ethyl ester, propyl ester, isopropyl ester, butyl ester, sec-butyl ester, isobutyl ester, amyl ester, isoamyl ester, octyl ester, cyclohexyl ester, and phenylethyl ester or an alkanoyloxyalkyl, cycloalkanoyloxyalkyl, aroyloxyalkyl or an arylalkylcarbonyloxyalkyl ester. Preferred amide carboxy protecting groups are lower alkylaminocarbonyl groups. For example, aspartic acid may be protected at the $\alpha\text{-C-terminal}$ by an acid labile group (e.g., t-butyl) and protected at the $\beta\text{-C-terminal}$ by a hydrogenation labile group (e.g., benzyl) then deprotected selectively during synthesis.

In some embodiments, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence located at the junctional region between two exons that are predominantly joined together in protein isoforms expressed or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders, e.g., as a result of an in-frame exon deletion or the use of an alternatively spliced exon. In some embodiments, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence located at the junctional region between two exons that are predominantly joined together in protein isoforms expressed or associated with one or more cancerous or tumor cells or disorders, e.g., as a result of an in-frame exon deletion or the use of an alternatively spliced exon. In one embodiment, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), and which is identical to the alternative spliced form of Exon III, e.g., from about amino acids 301 to 360 of FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO:2); about amino acids 314 to 324 of FGFR2-IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEI, SEQ ID NO:4); about amino acids 328 to 337 of FGFR2-IIIc (YIRN-VTFEDA, SEQ ID NO:6); about amino acids 350 to 353 of FGFR2-IIIc (ISFH, SEQ ID NO:8); about amino acids 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVTFED-AGEYTCLAGNSIGISHUSEQ ID NO: 84)); or about amino acids TCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86) of FGFR2-IIIc, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 3, 5, 7, 83 or 85; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In another embodiment, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), and which is identical the junctional region between Ig-II and Ig-III of FGFR1L (SEQ ID NO:10) or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:9 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In yet other embodiments, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), and which is identical to the junctional region between exon 4 and exon 7 of isoform RONΔ160 (SEQ ID NO:12) or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:11 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In yet another embodiment, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), and which is identical to the junctional region of KIT between exons 10 and 12 of SEQ ID NO:14 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID

NO:13 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto. In yet another embodiment, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), 5 and which is identical to the junctional region of PDGF between exons 5 and 7 of SEQ ID NO:16 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:15 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical 10 thereto. In another embodiment, the peptide or functional variant thereof consists of, or includes, an amino acid sequence, up to 60 amino acids or less (e.g., up to 50, 40, 30, 20, 10 or less amino acids), and which is identical to the junctional region of PDGFR-alpha between exons 6 and 9 of 15 SEQ ID NO:18 or a fragment thereof, or an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:17 or a fragment thereof; or an amino acid or nucleotide sequence substantially identical thereto.

The peptides or a functional variant thereof can be made 20 recombinantly or synthetically, e.g., using solid phase synthesis. The isoform-specific inhibitor may include at least one, or alternatively, two or more peptide or variants thereof as described herein. For example, any combination of two or more peptide or peptide variants can be arranged, optionally, 25 via a linker sequence. The peptides can be functionally linked (e.g., by chemical coupling, genetic fusion, non-covalent association or otherwise) to one or more other molecular entities, e.g., carriers (e.g., an immunoglobulin Fc domain, serum albumin, pegylation, a GST, Lex-A or an MBP 30 polypeptide sequence) to enhance the peptide stability in vivo. Alternatively, the peptides can be modified by, e.g., addition of chemical protecting groups, to enhance the peptide stability in vivo.

Pegylation

One widely used techniques for increasing the half-life and/or the reducing immunogenicity of pharmaceutical proteins comprises attachment of a suitable pharmacologically acceptable polymer, such as poly(ethyleneglycol) (PEG) or derivatives thereof (such as methoxypoly(ethyleneglycol) or 40 mPEG). Generally, any suitable form of pegylation can be used, such as the pegylation used in the art for antibody molecules; reference is made to for example Chapman, *Nat. Biotechnol.*, 54, 531-545 (2002); by Veronese and Harris, Adv. Drug Deliv. Rev. 54, 453-456 (2003), by Harris and 45 Chess, Nat. Rev. Drug. Discov., 2, (2003) and in WO 04/060965. Various reagents for pegylation of proteins are also commercially available, for example from Nektar Therapeutics, USA.

Preferably, site-directed pegylation is used, in particular via a cysteine-residue (see for example Yang et al., *Protein Engineering*, 16, 10, 761-770 (2003). For example, for this purpose, PEG may be attached to a cysteine residue that naturally occurs in an isoform-specific inhibitor, an inhibitor may be modified so as to suitably introduce one or more cysteine residues for attachment of PEG, or an amino acid sequence comprising one or more cysteine residues for attachment of PEG may be fused to the N- and/or C-terminus of an inhibitor of the invention, all using techniques of protein engineering known per se to the skilled person.

Preferably, for the isoform-specific inhibitor, a PEG is used with a molecular weight of more than 5000, such as more than 10,000 and less than 200,000, such as less than 100,000; for example in the range of 20,000-80,000.

With regard to pegylation, its should be noted that gener-65 ally, the invention also encompasses any SDAB molecule that has been pegylated at one or more amino acid positions,

preferably in such a way that said pegylation either (1) increases the half-life in vivo; (2) reduces immunogenicity; (3) provides one or more further beneficial properties known per se for pegylation; (4) does not essentially affect the affinity of the SDAB molecule (e.g. does not reduce said affinity by more than 90%, preferably not by more than 50%, and by no more than 10%, as determined by a suitable assay, such as those described in the Examples below); and/or (4) does not affect any of the other desired properties of the isoform-specific inhibitor. Suitable PEG-groups and methods for attaching them, either specifically or non-specifically, will be clear to the skilled person.

Suitable kits and reagents for such pegylation can for example be obtained from Nektar (CA, USA).

Another, usually less preferred modification comprises N-linked or O-linked glycosylation, usually as part of cotranslational and/or post-translational modification, depending on the host cell used for expressing the isoform-specific inhibitor.

Nucleic Acid Binding Molecules

In another embodiment, the isoform-specific inhibitor (e.g., the isoform-binding molecule) inhibits the expression of nucleic acid encoding the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform (e.g., an oncogenic isoform as described herein). Examples of such isoform-binding molecules include nucleic acid molecules, for example, antisense molecules, ribozymes, RNAi, triple helix molecules that hybridize to a nucleic acid encoding the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform, or a transcription regulatory region, and blocks or reduces mRNA expression of the isoform, e.g., the oncogenic isoform. In one embodiment, the nucleic acid binding molecule capable of inhibiting the expression of an oncogenic isoform is an antisense oligonucleotide capable of specifically hybridizing to the oncogenic isoform.

It is understood in the art that the sequence of an antisense compound need not be 100% complementary to that of its target nucleic acid to specifically hybridize to that sequence. An antisense compound specifically hybridizes to a target DNA or RNA sequence when binding of the compound to the target DNA or RNA sequence interferes with the normal function of the target DNA or RNA. This interference should cause a loss of utility, and there should be a sufficient degree of complementarity to avoid non-specific binding of the antisense compound to non-target sequences under conditions in which specific binding is desired, i.e., under physiological conditions in the case of in vivo assays or therapeutic treatment, and in case of in vitro assays, under conditions in which the assays are performed.

The sequence of an antisense oligonucleotide capable of specifically hybridizing to an oncogenic isoform can be identified through routine experimentation. In one embodiment the antisense oligonucleotide is capable of specifically hybridizing to a nucleic acid sequence provided herein, such as, e.g., a sequence encoding a polypeptide selected from the group consisting SEQ ID NOs: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, and 18. In another embodiment, the antisense oligonucleotide is capable of specifically hybridizing to a nucleic acid comprising the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, or 17.

In another embodiment, the compound capable of inhibiting the expression of an oncogenic isoform is an RNAi construct. In one embodiment the RNAi construct is capable of specifically hybridizing to a nucleic acid sequence provided herein, such as, e.g., a sequence encoding a polypeptide selected from the group consisting SEQ ID NOs: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, and 18 or a substantially identical sequence thereof.

The antisense oligonucleotides and RNAi constructs can be used to specifically inhibit the expression of the oncogenic polypeptide isoforms without inhibiting the non-oncogenic polypeptide isoforms derived from the same proto-oncogene. Using this technology, the specific function of each oncogenic polypeptide isoform can be studied. Further, antisense oligonucleotides and RNAi constructs may be used for disease treatment.

Antisense oligonucleotides are relatively short nucleic acids that are complementary (or antisense) to the coding strand (sense strand) of the mRNA encoding a particular protein. Although antisense oligonucleotides are typically RNA based, they can also be DNA based. Additionally, antisense oligonucleotides are often modified to increase their stability. See, for example, Antisense Technology in Methods in Enzymology, Vols. 313-314, ed. by Phillips, Abelson and Simon, Academic Press, 1999.

The oligonucleotides can be DNA or RNA, or chimeric mixtures or derivatives or modified versions thereof, single- 20 stranded or double-stranded. The oligonucleotide can be modified at the base moiety, sugar moiety, or phosphate backbone, for example, to improve its stability, hybridization, etc. The oligonucleotide may include other appended groups such as peptides (e.g., for targeting host cell receptors), or agents 25 facilitating transport across the cell membrane (see, e.g., Letsinger et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A. 86:6553-56 (1989); Lemaitre et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A. 84:648-52 (1987); International Patent Publication No. WO88/ 09810) or the blood-brain barrier (see, e.g., International 30 Patent Publication No. WO89/10134), hybridization-triggered cleavage agents (see, e.g., Krol et al., Bio Techniques 6:958-76 (1988)) or intercalating agents. (see, e.g., Zon, Pharm. Res. 5:539-49 (1988)). To this end, the oligonucleotide may be conjugated to another molecule. The antisense 35 oligonucleotide can also contain a neutral peptide-like backbone. Such molecules are termed peptide nucleic acid (PNA)oligomers and are described, e.g., in Perry-O'Keefe et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A. 93:14670 (1996) and in Eglom et al., Nature 365:566 (1993).

Oligonucleotides of the invention may be synthesized by standard methods known in the art, e.g., by use of an automated DNA synthesizer (such as are commercially available from Biosearch Technologies, Inc. (Novato, Calif.), Applied Biosystems (Foster City, Calif.), and others). As examples, 45 phosphorothioate oligonucleotides may be synthesized by the method of Stein et al. (*Nucl. Acids Res.* 16:3209 (1988)), and methylphosphonate oligonucleotides can be prepared by use of controlled pore glass polymer supports (Sarin et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A.* 85:7448-51 (1988)).

The selection of an appropriate oligonucleotide can be readily performed by one of skill in the art, based upon the present description. Given the nucleic acid encoding a particular protein, one of skill in the art can design antisense oligonucleotides that bind to that protein, and test these oli- 55 gonucleotides in an in vitro or in vivo system to confirm that they bind to and mediate the degradation of the mRNA encoding the particular protein. To design an antisense oligonucleotide that specifically binds to and mediates the degradation of a particular protein, it is important that the sequence rec- 60 ognized by the oligonucleotide is unique or substantially unique to that particular protein. For example, sequences that are frequently repeated across proteins may not be an ideal choice for the design of an oligonucleotide that specifically recognizes and degrades a particular message. One of skill in 65 the art can design an oligonucleotide, and compare the sequence of that oligonucleotide to nucleic acid sequences

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that are deposited in publicly available databases to confirm that the sequence is specific, or substantially specific, for a particular protein.

A number of methods have been developed for delivering antisense DNA or RNA to cells, e.g., antisense molecules can be injected directly into the tissue site, or modified antisense molecules, designed to target the desired cells (e.g., antisense linked to peptides or antibodies that specifically bind receptors or antigens expressed on the target cell surface) can be administered systemically to a subject. See, for example, Antisense Technology in Methods in Enzymology, Vols. 313-314, ed. by Phillips, Abelson and Simon, Academic Press, 1999.

RNAi constructs comprise double stranded RNA that can specifically block expression of a target gene. "RNA interference" or "RNAi" is a term initially applied to a phenomenon observed in plants and worms where double-stranded RNA (dsRNA) blocks gene expression in a specific and post-transcriptional manner. Without being bound by any particular theory, RNAi appears to involve mRNA degradation; however, the biochemical mechanisms remain an active area of research.

As used herein, the term "dsRNA" refers to siRNA molecules, or other RNA molecules including a double stranded feature and able to be processed to siRNA in cells, such as hairpin RNA moieties.

As used herein, the term "RNAi construct" is a generic term used throughout the specification to include small interfering RNAs (siRNAs), hairpin RNAs, and other RNA species, which can be cleaved in vivo to form siRNAs. RNAi constructs herein also include expression vectors (also referred to as RNAi expression vectors) capable of giving rise to transcripts which form dsRNAs or hairpin RNAs in cells, and/or transcripts, which can produce siRNAs in vivo.

"RNAi expression vector" (also referred to herein as a "dsRNA-encoding plasmid") refers to a replicable nucleic acid constructs used to express (transcribe) RNA, which produces siRNA moieties in the cell in which the construct is expressed. Such vectors include a transcriptional unit comprising an assembly of (1) genetic element(s) having a regulatory role in gene expression, for example, promoters, operators, or enhancers, operatively linked to (2) a "coding" sequence which is transcribed to produce a double-stranded RNA (two RNA moieties that anneal in the cell to form an siRNA, or a single hairpin RNA which can be processed to an siRNA), and (3) appropriate transcription initiation and termination sequences. The choice of promoter and other regulatory elements generally varies according to the intended host cell. In general, expression vectors of utility in recombinant DNA techniques are often in the form of "plasmids" which refer to circular double stranded DNA loops, which, in their vector form are not bound to the chromosome. In the present specification, "plasmid" and "vector" are used interchangeably as the plasmid is the most commonly used form of vector. However, the invention is intended to include such other forms of expression vectors which serve equivalent functions and which become known in the art subsequently hereto.

Methods of chemically modifying RNA molecules can be adapted for modifying RNAi constructs (see, e.g., Heidenreich et al., *Nucleic Acids Res.* 25:776-80 (1997); Wilson et al., *J. Mol. Recog.* 7:89-98 (1994); Chen et al., *Nucleic Acids Res.* 23:2661-68 (1995); Hirschbein et al., *Antisense Nucleic Acid Drug Dev.* 7:55-61 (1997)). Merely to illustrate, the backbone of an RNAi construct can be modified with phosphorothioates, phosphoramidate, phosphodithioates, chimeric methylphosphonate-phosphodie-sters, peptide nucleic acids,

5-propynyl-pyrimidine containing oligomers or sugar modifications (e.g., 2'-substituted ribonucleosides, a-configuration)

The double-stranded structure may be formed by a single self-complementary RNA strand or two complementary RNA strands. RNA duplex formation may be initiated either inside or outside the cell. The RNA may be introduced in an amount, which allows delivery of at least one copy per cell. Higher doses (e.g., at least 5, 10, 100, 500 or 1000 copies per cell) of double-stranded material may yield more effective inhibition, while lower doses may also be useful for specific applications. Inhibition is sequence-specific in that nucleotide sequences corresponding to the duplex region of the RNA are targeted for genetic inhibition.

The siRNA molecules can be obtained using a number of techniques known to those of skill in the art. For example, the siRNA can be chemically synthesized or recombinantly produced using methods known in the art. For example, short sense and antisense RNA oligomers can be synthesized and annealed to form double-stranded RNA structures with 20 2-nucleotide overhangs at each end (Caplen et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A.*, 98:9742-47 (2001); Elbashir et al., *EMBO J.*, 20:6877-88 (2001)). These double-stranded siRNA structures can then be directly introduced to cells, either by passive uptake or a delivery system of choice, such as described 25 below.

The invention also provides methods of inhibiting the expression of an oncogenic isoform provided herein in a cell comprising contacting the cell with a compound capable of inhibiting the expression of the oncogenic isoform. Inhibition 30 of expression of an oncogenic isoform may be useful for the prevention and/or treatment of cancer. Inhibiting expression of an FGFR2-IIIc oncogenic isoform may be used to prevent and/or treat hormone-refractory prostate cancer, breast cancer, bladder cancer, thyroid cancer, or other form of cancer. 35 Inhibiting expression of FGFR1L may be used to prevent and/or treat pancreatic adenocarcinoma, prostate cancer, or other form of cancer. Inhibiting expression of a RON receptor tyrosine kinase A160 isoform may be used to prevent and/or treat metastatic colorectal cancer, breast cancer, ovarian can- 40 cer, lung cancer, bladder cancer, or other form of cancer. Inhibiting expression of a KIT receptor tyrosine kinase oncogenic isoform may be used to prevent and/or treat gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GISTs) or other form of cancer. Inhibiting expression of a PDGFR-alpha isoform may be used to 45 prevent and/or treat brain cancer, glioblastoma, prostate cancer, bone metastasis, GIST, or other form of cancer.

In one embodiment the method is carried out in vitro. In another embodiment the method will be carried out in vivo. These methods could be used in research, diagnosis and treatment of a cancer associated with expression of the oncogenic isoform. In research, these methods could be used, for example, to elucidate the mechanism of action of an oncogenic isoform of the invention.

Pharmaceutical Compositions and Kits

In another aspect, the present invention provides compositions, e.g., pharmaceutically acceptable compositions, which include an isoform-specific inhibitor described herein, formulated together with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. As used herein, "pharmaceutically acceptable carrier" 60 includes any and all solvents, dispersion media, isotonic and absorption delaying agents, and the like that are physiologically compatible. The carrier can be suitable for intravenous, intramuscular, subcutaneous, parenteral, rectal, spinal or epidermal administration (e.g. by injection or infusion).

The compositions of this invention may be in a variety of forms. These include, for example, liquid, semi-solid and 60

solid dosage forms, such as liquid solutions (e.g., injectable and infusible solutions), dispersions or suspensions, liposomes and suppositories. The preferred form depends on the intended mode of administration and therapeutic application. Typical preferred compositions are in the form of injectable or infusible solutions. The preferred mode of administration is parenteral (e.g., intravenous, subcutaneous, intraperitoneal, intramuscular). In a preferred embodiment, the antibody is administered by intravenous infusion or injection. In another preferred embodiment, the antibody is administered by intramuscular or subcutaneous injection.

The phrases "parenteral administration" and "administered parenterally" as used herein means modes of administration other than enteral and topical administration, usually by injection, and includes, without limitation, intravenous, intramuscular, intraarterial, intrathecal, intracapsular, intraorbital, intracardiac, intradermal, intraperitoneal, transtracheal, subcutaneous, subcuticular, intraarticular, subcapsular, subarachnoid, intraspinal, epidural and intrasternal injection and infusion.

Therapeutic compositions typically should be sterile and stable under the conditions of manufacture and storage. The composition can be formulated as a solution, microemulsion, dispersion, liposome, or other ordered structure suitable to high antibody concentration. Sterile injectable solutions can be prepared by incorporating the active compound (i.e., antibody or antibody portion) in the required amount in an appropriate solvent with one or a combination of ingredients enumerated above, as required, followed by filtered sterilization. Generally, dispersions are prepared by incorporating the active compound into a sterile vehicle that contains a basic dispersion medium and the required other ingredients from those enumerated above. In the case of sterile powders for the preparation of sterile injectable solutions, the preferred methods of preparation are vacuum drying and freeze-drying that yields a powder of the active ingredient plus any additional desired ingredient from a previously sterile-filtered solution thereof. The proper fluidity of a solution can be maintained, for example, by the use of a coating such as lecithin, by the maintenance of the required particle size in the case of dispersion and by the use of surfactants. Prolonged absorption of injectable compositions can be brought about by including in the composition an agent that delays absorption, for example, monostearate salts and gelatin.

The isoform-specific inhibitor of the present invention can be administered by a variety of methods known in the art, although for many therapeutic applications, the preferred route/mode of administration is intravenous injection or infusion. For example, the antibody molecules can be administered by intravenous infusion at a rate of less than 10 mg/min; preferably less than or equal to 5 mg/min to reach a dose of about 1 to 100 mg/m², preferably about 5 to 50 mg/m², about 7 to 25 mg/m² and more preferably, about 10 mg/m². As will be appreciated by the skilled artisan, the route and/or mode of 55 administration will vary depending upon the desired results. In certain embodiments, the active compound may be prepared with a carrier that will protect the compound against rapid release, such as a controlled release formulation, including implants, transdermal patches, and microencapsulated delivery systems. Biodegradable, biocompatible polymers can be used, such as ethylene vinyl acetate, polyanhydrides, polyglycolic acid, collagen, polyorthoesters, and polylactic acid. Many methods for the preparation of such formulations are patented or generally known to those skilled in the art. See, e.g., Sustained and Controlled Release Drug Delivery Systems, J. R. Robinson, ed., Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1978.

In certain embodiments, an isoform-specific inhibitor of the invention may be orally administered, for example, with an inert diluent or an assimilable edible carrier. The compound (and other ingredients, if desired) may also be enclosed in a hard or soft shell gelatin capsule, compressed into tablets, or incorporated directly into the subject's diet. For oral therapeutic administration, the compounds may be incorporated with excipients and used in the form of ingestible tablets, buccal tablets, troches, capsules, elixirs, suspensions, syrups, wafers, and the like. To administer a compound of the invention by other than parenteral administration, it may be necessary to coat the compound with, or co-administer the compound with, a material to prevent its inactivation. Therapeutic compositions can also be administered with medical devices known in the art.

Dosage regimens are adjusted to provide the optimum desired response (e.g., a therapeutic response). For example, a single bolus may be administered, several divided doses may be administered over time or the dose may be proportionally reduced or increased as indicated by the exigencies of 20 the therapeutic situation. It is especially advantageous to formulate parenteral compositions in dosage unit form for ease of administration and uniformity of dosage. Dosage unit form as used herein refers to physically discrete units suited as unitary dosages for the subjects to be treated; each unit con- 25 tains a predetermined quantity of active compound calculated to produce the desired therapeutic effect in association with the required pharmaceutical carrier. The specification for the dosage unit forms of the invention are dictated by and directly dependent on (a) the unique characteristics of the active compound and the particular therapeutic effect to be achieved, and (b) the limitations inherent in the art of compounding such an active compound for the treatment of sensitivity in individu-

An exemplary, non-limiting range for a therapeutically or 35 prophylactically effective amount of an antibody or antibody portion of the invention is 0.1-20 mg/kg, more preferably 1-10 mg/kg. The isoform-specific inhibitor can be administered by intravenous infusion at a rate of less than 10 mg/min, preferably less than or equal to 5 mg/min to reach a dose of 40 about 1 to 100 mg/m², preferably about 5 to 50 mg/m², about 7 to 25 mg/m², and more preferably, about 10 mg/m². It is to be noted that dosage values may vary with the type and severity of the condition to be alleviated. It is to be further understood that for any particular subject, specific dosage 45 regimens should be adjusted over time according to the individual need and the professional judgment of the person administering or supervising the administration of the compositions, and that dosage ranges set forth herein are exemplary only and are not intended to limit the scope or practice 50 of the claimed composition.

The pharmaceutical compositions of the invention may include a "therapeutically effective amount" or a "prophylactically effective amount" of an antibody or antibody portion of the invention. A "therapeutically effective amount" refers 55 to an amount effective, at dosages and for periods of time necessary, to achieve the desired therapeutic result. A therapeutically effective amount of the modified antibody or antibody fragment may vary according to factors such as the disease state, age, sex, and weight of the individual, and the 60 ability of the antibody or antibody portion to elicit a desired response in the individual. A therapeutically effective amount is also one in which any toxic or detrimental effects of the modified antibody or antibody fragment is outweighed by the therapeutically beneficial effects. A "therapeutically effective 65 dosage" preferably inhibits a measurable parameter, e.g., tumor growth rate by at least about 20%, more preferably by

at least about 40%, even more preferably by at least about 60%, and still more preferably by at least about 80% relative to untreated subjects. The ability of a compound to inhibit a measurable parameter, e.g., cancer, can be evaluated in an animal model system predictive of efficacy in human tumors. Alternatively, this property of a composition can be evaluated by examining the ability of the compound to inhibit, such inhibition in vitro by assays known to the skilled practitioner

A "prophylactically effective amount" refers to an amount effective, at dosages and for periods of time necessary, to achieve the desired prophylactic result. Typically, since a prophylactic dose is used in subjects prior to or at an earlier stage of disease, the prophylactically effective amount will be less than the therapeutically effective amount.

Also within the scope of the invention is a kit comprising an isoform-specific inhibitor. The kit can include one or more other elements including: instructions for use; other reagents, e.g., a label, a therapeutic agent, or an agent useful for chelating, or otherwise coupling, an antibody to a label or therapeutic agent, or a radioprotective composition; devices or other materials for preparing the antibody for administration; pharmaceutically acceptable carriers; and devices or other materials for administration to a subject. Instructions for use can include instructions for diagnostic applications of the isoform-binding molecule, in vitro, e.g., in a sample, e.g., a biopsy or cells from a patient having a cancer or prostatic disorder, or in vivo. The instructions can include instructions for therapeutic application including suggested dosages and/ or modes of administration, e.g., in a patient with a cancer or prostatic disorder. Other instructions can include instructions on coupling of the antibody to a chelator, a label or a therapeutic agent, or for purification of a conjugated antibody, e.g., from unreacted conjugation components. As discussed above, the kit can include a label, e.g., any of the labels described herein. As discussed above, the kit can include a therapeutic agent, e.g., a therapeutic agent described herein. The kit can include a reagent useful for chelating or otherwise coupling a label or therapeutic agent to the antibody, e.g., a reagent discussed herein. For example, a macrocyclic chelating agent, preferably 1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane-N,N', N",N",4-tetraacetic acid (DOTA), can be included. The DOTA can be supplied as a separate component or the DOTA (or other chelator or conjugating agent) can be supplied already coupled to the antibody. Additional coupling agents, e.g., an agent such as N-hydroxysuccinimide (NHS), can be supplied for coupling the chelator, e.g., DOTA, to the antibody. In some applications the antibody will be reacted with other components; e.g., a chelator or a label or therapeutic agent, e.g., a radioisotope, e.g., yttrium or lutetium. In such cases the kit can include one or more of a reaction vessel to carry out the reaction or a separation device, e.g., a chromatographic column, for use in separating the finished product from starting materials or reaction intermediates.

The kit can further contain at least one additional reagent, such as a diagnostic or therapeutic agent, e.g., a diagnostic or therapeutic agent as described herein, and/or one or more additional isoform-specific inhibitor, formulated as appropriate, in one or more separate pharmaceutical preparations.

The kit can further contain a radioprotectant. The radiolytic nature of isotopes, e.g., ⁹⁰Yttrium (⁹⁰Y) is known. In order to overcome this radiolysis, radioprotectants may be included, e.g., in the reaction buffer, as long as such radioprotectants are benign, meaning that they do not inhibit or otherwise adversely affect the labeling reaction, e.g., of an isotope, such as of ⁹⁰Y, to the antibody.

The formulation buffer of the present invention may include a radioprotectant such as human serum albumin

(HSA) or ascorbate, which minimize radiolysis due to yttrium or other strong radionuclides. Other radioprotectants are known in the art and can also be used in the formulation buffer of the present invention, i.e., free radical scavengers (phenol, sulfites, glutathione, cysteine, gentisic acid, nicotinic acid, ascorbyl palmitate, HOP(:O)H₂I glycerol, sodium formaldehyde sulfoxylate, Na₂S₂0, Na₂S₂0₃, and S0₂, etc.).

A preferred kit is one useful for radiolabeling a chelatorconjugated protein or peptide with a therapeutic radioisotope for administration to a patient. The kit includes (i) a vial containing chelator-conjugated antibody, (ii) a vial containing formulation buffer for stabilizing and administering the radiolabeled antibody to a patient, and (iii) instructions for performing the radiolabeling procedure. The kit provides for exposing a chelator-conjugated antibody to the radioisotope or a salt thereof for a sufficient amount of time under amiable conditions, e.g., as recommended in the instructions. A radiolabeled antibody having sufficient purity, specific activity and binding specificity is produced. The radiolabeled antibody 20 may be diluted to an appropriate concentration, e.g., in formulation buffer, and administered directly to the patient with or without further purification. The chelator-conjugated antibody may be supplied in lyophilized form.

Uses of the Invention

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention have in vitro and in vivo diagnostic, as well as therapeutic and prophylactic utilities. For example, these binding molecules can be administered to cells in culture, e.g. in vitro or ex vivo, or in a subject, e.g., in vivo, to treat, prevent, and/or diagnose a variety of disorders, such as cancers (prostatic and non-prostatic cancers). As used herein, the term "subject" is intended to include human and non-human animals. Preferred human animals include a human patient having a disorder characterized by abnormal functioning of an isoform-expressing cell, e.g., a cancer cell or a prostatic cell. The term "non-human animals" of the invention includes all vertebrates, e.g., mammals and non-mammals, such as non-human primates, sheep, dog, cow, chickens, amphibians, reptiles, etc.

In one embodiment, the subject is a human subject. Alternatively, the subject can be a mammal expressing an isoform-like antigen with which an isoform-specific inhibitor of the invention cross-reacts. An isoform-specific inhibitor of the invention can be administered to a human subject for therapeutic purposes (discussed further below). Moreover, an isoform-specific inhibitor can be administered to a non-human mammal expressing the isoform-like antigen with which the modified antibody cross-reacts (e.g., a primate, pig or mouse) for veterinary purposes or as an animal model of human of disease. Regarding the latter, such animal models may be useful for evaluating the therapeutic efficacy of antibodies of the invention (e.g., testing of dosages and time courses of administration).

Therapeutic Uses

In one embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating, e.g., ablating or killing, a hyperproliferative cell, e.g., a prostatic cell (e.g., a cancerous prostatic), or a malignant, non-prostatic cell, e.g., cell found in a non-prostatic solid tumor, a soft tissue tumor, or a metastatic lesion (e.g., a cell found in renal, urothelial (e.g., bladder), testicular, colon, rectal, lung (e.g., non-small cell lung carcinoma), breast, liver, neural (e.g., neuroendocrine), glial (e.g., glioblastoma), pancreatic (e.g., pancreatic duct) cancer and/or metastasis, melanoma (e.g., malignant melanoma), or soft tissue sarcoma). Methods of the invention include the steps of contacting the hyperproliferative cell, with an isoform-specific

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inhibitor described herein, in an amount sufficient to treat, e.g., reduce the activity, ablate or kill, the hyperproliferative cell

The subject method can be used on cells in culture, e.g. in vitro or ex vivo. For example, cancerous or metastatic cells (e.g., prostatic, renal, an urothelial, colon, rectal, lung, breast or liver, cancerous or metastatic cells) can be cultured in vitro in culture medium and the contacting step can be effected by adding the isoform-specific inhibitor, to the culture medium. The method can be performed on cells (e.g., cancerous or metastatic cells) present in a subject, as part of an in vivo (e.g., therapeutic or prophylactic) protocol. For in vivo embodiments, the contacting step is effected in a subject and includes administering the isoform-specific inhibitor to the subject under conditions effective to permit inhibiting and/or reducing one or more activities of the isoform, or binding of the isoform-binding molecule to the cell, and thereby treating, e.g., the killing or ablating of the cell.

As used herein, the term "cancer" is meant to include all types of cancerous growths or oncogenic processes, metastatic tissues or malignantly transformed cells, tissues, or organs, irrespective of histopathologic type or stage of invasiveness. Examples of cancerous disorders include, but are not limited to, solid tumors, soft tissue tumors, and metastatic lesions. Examples of solid tumors include malignancies, e.g., sarcomas, adenocarcinomas, and carcinomas, of the various organ systems, such as those affecting prostate, lung, breast, lymphoid, gastrointestinal (e.g., colon), and genitourinary tract (e.g., renal, urothelial cells), pharynx. Adenocarcinomas include malignancies such as most colon cancers, rectal cancer, renal-cell carcinoma, liver cancer, non-small cell carcinoma of the lung, cancer of the small intestine and cancer of the esophagus. Metastatic lesions of the aforementioned cancers can also be treated or prevented using the methods and compositions of the invention.

The subject method can be useful in treating malignancies of the various organ systems, such as those affecting lung, breast, lymphoid, gastrointestinal (e.g., colon), bladder, genitourinary tract (e.g., prostate), pharynx, as well as adenocarcinomas which include malignancies such as most colon cancers, renal-cell carcinoma, prostate cancer and/or testicular tumors, non-small cell carcinoma of the lung, cancer of the small intestine and cancer of the esophagus.

Methods of administering the isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention are described above. Suitable dosages of the molecules used will depend on the age and weight of the subject and the particular drug used. The modified antibody molecules can be used as competitive agents for ligand binding to inhibit, reduce an undesirable interaction.

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can be used by themselves or conjugated to a second agent, e.g., a cytotoxic drug, radioisotope, or a protein, e.g., a protein toxin or a viral protein. This method includes: administering the isoform-specific inhibitors, alone or conjugated to a cytotoxic drug, to a subject requiring such treatment.

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention may be used to deliver a variety of therapeutic agents, e.g., a cytotoxic moiety, e.g., a therapeutic drug, a radioisotope, molecules of plant, fungal, or bacterial origin, or biological proteins (e.g., protein toxins) or particles (e.g., a recombinant viral particles, e.g.; via a viral coat protein), or mixtures thereof. The therapeutic agent can be an intracellularly active drug or other agent, such as short-range radiation emitters, including, for example, short-range, high-energy α -emitters, as described herein. In some embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can be coupled to a molecule of plant or bacterial origin (or derivative thereof), e.g., a maytansinoid.

Maytansine is a cytotoxic agent that effects cell killing by preventing the formation of microtubules and depolymerization of extant microtubules. It is 100- to 1000-fold more cytotoxic than anticancer agents such as doxorubicin, methotrexate, and vinca alkyloid, which are currently in clinical suse. Alternatively, the isoform-binding molecule can be coupled to a taxane, a calicheamicin, a proteosome inhibitor, or a topoisomerase inhibitor. R1R)-3-methyl-1-[[(2S)-1-oxo-3-phenyl-2-[(3-mercaptoacetyl)amino]propyl]amino/butyl] Boronic acid is a suitable proteosome inhibitor. N,N'-bis[2-10 (9-methylphenazine-1-carboxamido)ethyl]-1,2-ethanediamine is a suitable topoisomerase inhibitor.

Enzymatically active toxins and fragments thereof are exemplified by diphtheria toxin A fragment, nonbinding active fragments of diphtheria toxin, exotoxin A (from Pseudomonas aeruginosa), ricin A chain, abrin A chain, modeccin A chain, α -sacrin, certain *Aleurites fordii* proteins, certain Dianthin proteins, Phytolacca americana proteins (PAP, PAPII and PAP-S), Morodica charantia inhibitor, curcin, crotin, Saponaria officinalis inhibitor, gelonin, mitogil- 20 lin, restrictocin, phenomycin, and enomycin. In one embodiment, the isoform-binding molecule is conjugated to maytansinoids, e.g., maytansinol (see U.S. Pat. No. 5,208, 020), CC-1065 (see U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,475,092, 5,585,499, 5,846,545). Procedures for preparing enzymatically active 25 polypeptides of the immunotoxins are described in WO84/ 03508 and WO85/03508, which are hereby incorporated by reference. Examples of cytotoxic moieties that can be conjugated to the antibodies include adriamycin, chlorambucil, daunomycin, methotrexate, neocarzinostatin, and platinum. 30

To kill or ablate cancerous prostate epithelial cells, a first isoform-binding molecule can be conjugated with a prodrug which is activated only when in close proximity with a prodrug activator. The prodrug activator is conjugated with a second isoform-binding molecule according to the present invention, preferably one that binds to a non-competing site on the prostate specific membrane antigen molecule. Whether two modified antibodies bind to competing or non-competing binding sites can be determined by conventional competitive binding assays. Drug-prodrug pairs suitable for use in the 40 practice of the present invention are described in Blakely et al., "ZD2767, an Improved System for Antibody-directed Enzyme Prodrug Therapy That Results in Tumor Regressions in Colorectal Tumor Xenografts," (1996) *Cancer Research*, 56:3287-3292, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

Alternatively, the isoform-binding molecules of the invention can be coupled to high energy radiation emitters, for example, a radioisotope, such as 131 I, a γ -emitter, which, when localized at the tumor site, results in a killing of several cell diameters. See, e.g., S. E. Order, "Analysis, Results, and 50 Future Prospective of the Therapeutic Use of Radiolabeled Antibody in Cancer Therapy", *Monoclonal Antibodies for Cancer Detection and Therapy*, R. W. Baldwin et al. (eds.), pp 303-316 (Academic Press 1985), which is hereby incorporated by reference. Other suitable radioisotopes include 55 α -emitters, such as 212 Bi, 213 Bi, and 211 At, and β -emitters, such as 186 Re and 90 Y. Radiotherapy is expected to be particularly effective, because prostate epithelial cells and vascular endothelial cells within cancers are relatively radiosensitive. Moreover, Lu 117 may also be used as both an imaging 60 and cytotoxic agent.

Radioimmunotherapy (RIT) using antibodies labeled with ¹³¹I, ⁹⁰Y and ¹¹⁷Lu is under intense clinical investigation. There are significant differences in the physical characteristics of these three nuclides and as a result, the choice of 65 radionuclide can be important in order to deliver maximum radiation dose to the tumor. The higher beta energy particles

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of 90Y may be good for bulky tumors, but it may not be necessary for small tumors and especially bone metastases, (e.g. those common to prostate cancer). The relatively low energy beta particles of ¹³¹I are ideal, but in vivo dehalogenation of radioiodinated molecules is a major disadvantage for internalizing antibody. In contrast, 177Lu has low energy beta particle with only 0.2-0.3 mm range and delivers much lower radiation dose to bone marrow compared to 90Y. In addition, due to longer physical half-life (compared to 90Y), the tumor residence times are higher. As a result, higher activities (more mCi amounts) of ¹⁷⁷Lu labeled agents can be administered with comparatively less radiation dose to marrow. There have been several clinical studies investigating the use of ¹⁷⁷Lu labeled antibodies in the treatment of various cancers. (Mulligan T et al., (1995) Clin Cancer Res. 1:1447-1454; Meredith R F, et al. (1996) J Nucl Med 37:1491-1496; Alvarez R D, et al., (1997) Gynecologic Oncology 65: 94-101).

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can also be conjugated or fused to viral surface proteins present on viral particles. For example, an isoform-binding molecule of the invention could be fused (e.g., to form a fusion protein) to a viral surface protein. Alternatively, a whole isoform-specific inhibitor could be chemically conjugated (e.g., via a chemical linker) to a viral surface protein. Preferably, the virus is one that fuses with endocytic membranes, e.g., an influenza virus, such that the virus is internalized along with the isoform-specific inhibitor and thereby infects isoform-expressing cells. The virus can be genetically engineered as a cellular toxin. For example, the virus could express or induce the expression of genes that are toxic to cells, e.g., cell death promoting genes. Preferably, such viruses would be incapable of viral replication.

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can be used directly in vivo to eliminate antigen-expressing cells via natural complement or antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC). Isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention, which have complement binding sites, such as portions from IgG1, -2, or -3 or IgM which bind complement can also be used in the presence of complement. In one embodiment, ex vivo treatment of a population of cells comprising target cells with a binding agent of the invention and appropriate effector cells can be supplemented by the addition of complement or serum containing complement. Phagocytosis of target cells coated with modified antibodies or fragments thereof of the invention can be improved by binding of complement proteins. In another embodiment, target cells coated with the isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can also be lysed by complement.

Also encompassed by the present invention is a method of killing or ablating cells which involves using the isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention for preventing an isoform-related disorder. For example, these materials can be used to prevent or delay development or progression of prostate or other cancers.

Use of the therapeutic methods of the present invention to treat prostate and other cancers has a number of benefits. Since isoform-specific inhibitors according to the present invention only target cancerous cells, other tissue is spared. As a result, treatment with such isoform-specific inhibitors is safer, particularly for elderly patients. Treatment according to the present invention is expected to be particularly effective, because it directs high levels of isoform-specific inhibitors to the bone marrow and lymph nodes where prostate cancer metastases and metastases of many other cancers predominate. Moreover, the methods of the present invention are particularly well-suited for treating prostate cancer, because

tumor sites for prostate cancer tend to be small in size and, therefore, easily destroyed by cytotoxic agents. Treatment in accordance with the present invention can be effectively monitored with clinical parameters, such as, in the case of prostate cancer, one or more markers chosen from: serum 5 PSA, PSMA, PSCA, AR, chromogranin, synaptophysin, MIB-1, and/or AMACR), and/or pathological features of a patient's cancer, including stage, Gleason score, extracapsular, seminal, vesicle or perineural invasion, positive margins, involved lymph nodes, disease related pain, etc. Alternatively, 10 these parameters can be used to indicate when such treatment should be employed.

Also provided herein are DNA vaccines comprising a nucleotide sequence encoding an epitope of an oncogenic polypeptide isoform, which may be used for the prevention or 15 treatment of cancer. The epitope may be a short peptide of 10-15 amino acid residues from a linear or non-linear sequence of an oncogenic polypeptide isoform. The epitope preferably spans a junction site between two exons, which junction is unique to the particular polypeptide isoform that is 20 associated with cancer and not present in the protein isoform that is found in normal subjects or in normal tissues of diseases subjects. In certain embodiments, DNA vaccines will encode two or more epitopes from a single protein isoform or from multiple protein isoforms and may be used in such 25 combination, e.g., for certain disease indications. DNA vaccines may also encode an epitope specific sequence, e.g., encoding 10-15 amino acids, fused in frame to a carrier protein such as serum albumin, SEAP or other secreted peptide or protein. DNA vaccines may be used for preventing or treated 30 diseases as further described herein. Exemplary DNA vaccines comprise nucleotide sequences encoding peptides of sequences described herein, or identified as described herein.

To test the efficacy of a DNA vaccine, the vaccine may be given to an experimental animal model. Animal models are 35 well known in the art for numerous diseases, for example, for human tumors. In an illustrative embodiment, a vaccinated animal will be challenged with inoculated human tumors either before or after vaccination with a DNA vaccine. A protective or positive effect of the vaccine should be reflected 40 by reduced tumor burden in the experimental animals. Without wanting to be limited to a particular mechanism of action, a tumor-specific vaccine may stimulate either one or both body's immune arms, i.e. cellular immunity and humoral immunity.

Combination Therapy

The isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention may be used in combination with other therapies. For example, the combination therapy can include a composition of the present invention co-formulated with, and/or co-administered with, 50 one or more additional therapeutic agents, e.g., one or more anti-cancer agents, cytotoxic or cytostatic agents, hormone treatment, vaccines, and/or other immunotherapies. In other embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitors are administered in combination with other therapeutic treatment modalities, including surgery, radiation, cryosurgery, and/or thermotherapy. Such combination therapies may advantageously utilize lower dosages of the administered therapeutic agents, thus avoiding possible toxicities or complications associated with the various monotherapies.

Administered "in combination", as used herein, means that two (or more) different treatments are delivered to the subject during the course of the subject's affliction with the disorder, e.g., the two or more treatments are delivered after the subject has been diagnosed with the disorder and before the disorder 65 has been cured or eliminated. In some embodiments, the delivery of one treatment is still occurring when the delivery

of the second begins, so that there is overlap. This is sometimes referred to herein as "simultaneous" or "concurrent delivery." In other embodiments, the delivery of one treatment ends before the delivery of the other treatment begins. In some embodiments of either case, the treatment is more effective because of combined administration. For example, the second treatment is more effective, e.g., an equivalent effect is seen with less of the second treatment, or the second treatment reduces symptoms to a greater extent, than would be seen if the second treatment were administered in the absence of the first treatment, or the analogous situation is seen with the first treatment. In some embodiments, delivery is such that the reduction in a symptom, or other parameter related to the disorder is greater than what would be observed with one treatment delivered in the absence of the other. The effect of the two treatments can be partially additive, wholly additive, or greater than additive. The delivery can be such that an effect of the first treatment delivered is still detectable when the second is delivered.

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Isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention can be administered in combination with one or more of the existing modalities for treating prostate cancers, including, but not limited to: surgery (e.g., radical prostatectomy); radiation therapy (e.g., external-beam therapy which involves three dimensional, conformal radiation therapy where the field of radiation is designed to conform to the volume of tissue treated; interstitial-radiation therapy where seeds of radioactive compounds are implanted using ultrasound guidance; and a combination of external-beam therapy and interstitialradiation therapy); hormonal therapy, which can be administered before or following radical prostatectomy or radiation (e.g., treatments which reduce serum testosterone concentrations, or inhibit testosterone activity, e.g., administering a leuteinizing hormone-releasing hormone (LHRH) analog or agonist (e.g., Lupron, Zoladex, leuprolide, buserelin, or goserelin) or antagonists (e.g., Abarelix). Non-steroidal antiandrogens, e.g., flutamide, bicalutimade, or nilutamide, can also be used in hormonal therapy, as well as steroidal antiandrogens (e.g., cyproterone acetate or megastrol acetate), estrogens (e.g., diethylstilbestrol), PROSCAR®, secondary or tertiary hormonal manipulations (e.g., involving corticosteroids (e.g., hydrocortisone, prednisone, or dexamethasone), ketoconazole, and/or aminogluthethimide), inhibitors of 5a-reductase (e.g., finisteride), herbal preparations (e.g., PC-SPES), hypophysectomy, and adrenalectomy. Furthermore, hormonal therapy can be performed intermittently or using combinations of any of the above treatments, e.g., combined use of leuprolide and flutamide.

In other embodiments, the isoform-specific inhibitors of the invention are administered in combination with an immunomodulatory agent, e.g., IL-1, 2, 4, 6, or 12, or interferon alpha or gamma. For example, the combination of antibodies having a human constant regions and IL-2 potentially is expected to enhance the efficacy of the monoclonal antibody. IL-2 will function to augment the reticuloendothelial system to recognize antigen-antibody complexes by its effects on NK cells and macrophages. Thus, by stimulating NK cells to release IFN, GM-CSF, and TNF, these cytokines will increase the cell surface density of Fc receptors, as well as the phago-60 cytic capacities of these cells. Therefore, the effector arm of both the humoral and cellular arms will be artificially enhanced. The net effect will be to improve the efficiency of monoclonal antibody therapy, so that a maximal response may be obtained. A small number of clinical trials have combined IL-2 with a monoclonal antibody (Albertini et al. (1997) Clin Cancer Res 3: 1277-1288; Frost et al. (1997) Cancer 80:317-333; Kossman et al. (1999) Clin Cancer Res

5:2748-2755). IL-2 can be administered by either bolus or continuous infusion. Accordingly, the antibodies of the invention can be administered in combination with IL-2 to maximize their therapeutic potential.

Diagnostic Uses

In one aspect, the present invention provides a diagnostic method for detecting the presence of an isoform, e.g., an isoform protein in vitro (e.g., in a biological sample, such as a tissue biopsy, e.g., from a cancerous tissue) or in vivo (e.g., in vivo imaging in a subject). The method includes: (i) con- 10 tacting the sample with an isoform-binding molecule described herein (e.g., an anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule described herein), or administering to the subject, the isoform-binding molecule; (optionally) (ii) contacting a reference sample, e.g., a control sample (e.g., a control biological 15 sample, such as plasma, tissue, biopsy) or a control subject)); and (iii) detecting formation of a complex between the isoform-binding molecule, and the sample or subject, or the control sample or subject, wherein a change, e.g., a statistically significant change, in the formation of the complex in 20 the sample or subject relative to the control sample or subject is indicative of the presence of isoform in the sample. The isoform-binding molecule can be directly or indirectly labeled with a detectable substance to facilitate detection of the bound or unbound antibody. Suitable detectable sub- 25 stances include various enzymes, prosthetic groups, fluorescent materials, luminescent materials and radioactive materials, as described above and described in more detail below.

The term "sample," as it refers to samples used for detecting polypeptides includes, but is not limited to, cells, cell 30 lysates, proteins or membrane extracts of cells, body fluids, or tissue samples.

Complex formation between the isoform-binding molecule and the isoform can be detected by measuring or visualizing either the binding molecule bound to the isoform 35 antigen or unbound binding molecule. Conventional detection assays can be used, e.g., an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assays (ELISA), a radioimmunoassay (RIA) or tissue immunohistochemistry. Alternative to labeling the isoformbinding molecule, the presence of the isoform can be assayed 40 in a sample by a competition immunoassay utilizing standards labeled with a detectable substance and an unlabeled isoform-binding molecule. In this assay, the biological sample, the labeled standards and the binding molecule are combined and the amount of labeled standard bound to the 45 unlabeled binding molecule is determined. The amount of isoform in the sample is inversely proportional to the amount of labeled standard bound to the binding molecule.

In still another embodiment, the invention provides a method for detecting the presence of isoform-expressing cancerous tissues in vivo. The method includes (i) administering to a subject (e.g., a patient having a cancer) an isoform-binding molecule conjugated to a detectable marker; (ii) exposing the subject to a means for detecting said detectable marker to the isoform-expressing tissues or cells. In one embodiment, the binding molecule capable of specifically binding the polypeptide oncogenic isoform is an antibody molecule described above. In another embodiment, the binding molecule is an anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecule described herein. In one embodiment, the antibody specifically binds a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, or 18 or a substantially identical sequence thereof.

Determining whether a subject is expressing an oncogenic isoform may be useful to diagnose cancer. Determining 65 whether a subject is expressing an FGFR2-IIIc oncogenic isoform may be used to diagnose hormone-refractory prostate

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cancer, breast cancer, bladder cancer, thyroid cancer, or other form of cancer. Determining whether a subject is expressing FGFR1L may be used to diagnose pancreatic adenocarcinoma, prostate cancer, or other form of cancer. Determining whether a subject is expressing a RON receptor tyrosine kinase A160 isoform may be used to diagnose metastatic colorectal cancer, breast cancer, ovarian cancer, lung cancer, bladder cancer, or other form of cancer. Determining whether a subject is expressing a KIT receptor tyrosine kinase oncogenic isoform may be used to diagnose gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GISTs) or other form of cancer. Determining whether a subject is expressing a PDGFR-alpha isoform cancer may be used to diagnose brain cancer, glioblastoma, prostate cancer, bone metastasis, GIST, or other form of cancer.

When no compound is determined to have bound at a significant level an oncogenic polypeptide isoform, a negative diagnosis is made. When the compound is determined to have bound at a significant level an oncogenic polypeptide isoform, a positive diagnosis is made.

Examples of labels useful for diagnostic imaging in accordance with the present invention are radiolabels such as ¹³¹I, ¹¹¹In, ¹²³I, ^{99m}Tc, ³²P, ¹²⁵I, ³H, ¹⁴C, and ¹⁸⁸Rh, fluorescent labels such as fluorescein and rhodamine, nuclear magnetic resonance active labels, positron emitting isotopes detectable by a positron emission tomography ("PET") scanner, chemiluminescers such as luciferin, and enzymatic markers such as peroxidase or phosphatase. Short-range radiation emitters, such as isotopes detectable by short-range detector probes, such as a transrectal probe, can also be employed. These isotopes and transrectal detector probes, when used in combination, are especially useful in detecting prostatic fossa recurrences and pelvic nodal disease. The modified antibody can be labeled with such reagents using techniques known in the art. For example, see Wensel and Meares (1983) Radioimmunoimaging and Radioimmunotherapy, Elsevier, N.Y., which is hereby incorporated by reference, for techniques relating to the radiolabeling of antibodies. See also, D. Colcher et al., (1986) Meth. Enzymol. 121: 802-816, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

In the case of a radiolabeled modified antibody, the modified antibody is administered to the patient, is localized to the tumor bearing the antigen with which the modified antibody reacts, and is detected or "imaged" in vivo using known techniques such as radionuclear scanning using e.g., a gamma camera or emission tomography. See e.g., A. R. Bradwell et al., "Developments in Antibody Imaging", *Monoclonal Antibodies for Cancer Detection and Therapy*, R. W. Baldwin et al., (eds.), pp 65785 (Academic Press 1985), which is hereby incorporated by reference. Alternatively, a positron emission transaxial tomography scanner, such as designated Pet VI located at Brookhaven National Laboratory, can be used where the radiolabel emits positrons (e. g., ¹¹C, ¹⁸F, ¹⁵O, and ¹³N).

Fluorophore and chromophore labeled modified antibodies can be prepared from standard moieties known in the art. Since antibodies and other proteins absorb light having wavelengths up to about 310 nm, the fluorescent moieties should be selected to have substantial absorption at wavelengths above 310 nm and preferably above 400 nm. A variety of suitable fluorescent compounds and chromophores are described by Stryer (1968) *Science*, 162:526 and Brand, L. et al., (1972) *Annual Review of Biochemistry*, 41:843-868, which are hereby incorporated by reference. The isoform-binding molecule can be labeled with fluorescent chromophore groups by conventional procedures such as those disclosed in U.S. Pat. Nos. 3,940,475, 4,289,747, and 4,376, 110, which are hereby incorporated by reference.

One group of fluorescers having a number of the desirable properties described above is the xanthene dyes, which include the fluoresceins derived from 3,6-dihydroxy-9-henylxanthhydrol and resamines and rhodamines derived from 3,6-diamino-9-phenylxanthydrol and lissanime rhodamine 5 B. The rhodamine and fluorescein derivatives of 9-O— carboxyphenylxanthhydrol have a 9-o-carboxyphenyl group. Fluorescein compounds having reactive coupling groups such as amino and isothiocyanate groups such as fluorescein isothiocyanate and fluorescamine are readily available. 10 Another group of fluorescent compounds are the naphthylamines, having an amino group in the α or β position.

In other embodiments, the invention provide methods for determining the dose, e.g., radiation dose, that different tissues are exposed to when a subject, e.g., a human subject, is 15 administered an isoform-binding molecule that is conjugated to a radioactive isotope. The method includes: (i) administering an isoform-binding molecule as described herein, e.g., an isoform-binding molecule, that is labeled with a radioactive isotope to a subject; (ii) measuring the amount of radioactive 20 isotope located in different tissues, e.g., prostate, liver, kidney, or blood, at various time points until some or all of the radioactive isotope has been eliminated from the body of the subject; and (iii) calculating the total dose of radiation received by each tissue analyzed. The measurements can be 25 taken at scheduled time points, e.g., day 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, and 12, following administration (at day 0) of the radioactively labeled isoform-binding molecule to the subject. The concentration of radioisotope present in a given tissue, integrated over time, and multiplied by the specific activity of the radioisotope can be used to calculate the dose that a given tissue receives. Pharmacological information generated using isoform-binding molecules labeled with one radioactive isotope, e.g., a gamma-emitter, e.g., ¹¹¹In, can be used to calculate in the expected dose that the same tissue would receive from a 35 different radioactive isotope which cannot be easily measured, e.g., a beta-emitter, e.g., 90Y. Pharmacogenomics

With regards to both prophylactic and therapeutic methods of treatment, such treatments may be specifically tailored or 40 modified, based on knowledge obtained from the field of pharmacogenomics. "Pharmacogenomics", as used herein, refers to the application of genomics technologies such as gene sequencing, statistical genetics, gene expression, and protein biomarker expression analysis to drugs in clinical 45 development and on the market. See, for example, Eichelbaum, M. et al., (1996) Clin. Exp. Pharmaco. Physiol. 23:983-985 and Linder, M. W. et al. (1997) Clin. Chem. 43:254-266. Differences in metabolism of therapeutics can lead to severe toxicity or therapeutic failure by altering the 50 relation between dose and blood concentration of the pharmacologically active drug. In general, two types of pharmacogenetic conditions can be differentiated. Genetic conditions transmitted as a single factor altering the way drugs act on the body (altered drug action) or genetic conditions trans- 55 mitted as single factors altering the way the body acts on drugs (altered drug metabolism). These pharmacogenetic conditions can occur either as rare genetic defects or as naturally-occurring polymorphisms. More specifically, the term refers the study of how a patient's genes determine his or her 60 response to a drug (e.g., a patient's "drug response phenotype," or "drug response genotype.") Thus, another aspect of the invention provides methods for tailoring an individual's prophylactic or therapeutic treatment according to that individual's drug response genotype.

Information generated from pharmacogenomic research can be used to determine appropriate dosage and treatment regimens for prophylactic or therapeutic treatment of an individual. This knowledge, when applied to dosing or drug selection, can avoid adverse reactions or therapeutic failure and thus enhance therapeutic or prophylactic efficiency when administering a therapeutic composition, e.g., a composition consisting of one or more isoform-specific inhibitors, or derivatized form(s) thereof, to a patient, as a means of treating a disorder, e.g., a cancer as described herein.

In one embodiment, a physician or clinician may consider applying knowledge obtained in relevant pharmacogenomics studies when determining whether to administer a pharmaceutical composition, e.g., a composition consisting of one or more isoform-specific inhibitors, derivatized form(s) thereof, and optionally a second agent, to a subject. In another embodiment, a physician or clinician may consider applying such knowledge when determining the dosage, e.g., amount per treatment or frequency-of treatments, of a pharmaceutical composition, e.g., a pharmaceutical composition as described herein, administered to a patient.

In yet another embodiment, a physician or clinician may determine the genotypes, at one or more genetic loci, of a group of subjects participating in a clinical trial, wherein the subjects display a disorder, e.g., a cancer or prostatic disorder as described herein, and the clinical trial is designed to test the efficacy of a pharmaceutical composition, e.g., a composition consisting of one or more isoform-specific inhibitors, and optionally a second agent, and wherein the physician or clinician attempts to correlate the genotypes of the subjects with their response to the pharmaceutical composition.

Methods of Detecting Nucleic Acids Encoding Oncogenic Isoforms Using RT-PCR or PCR

The invention also provides methods of detecting a nucleic acid which encodes an oncogenic isoform provided herein, comprising: (a) obtaining cDNA from mRNA obtained from a suitable sample; (b) amplifying the cDNA corresponding to the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or an epitope fragment thereof; (c) comparing the amplified cDNA to the DNA of a nucleic acid known to encode proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or epitope fragment thereof, wherein the presence of the oncogenic isoform in the amplified cDNA indicates the detection of a nucleic acid encoding the oncogenic isoform.

The invention also provides methods for detecting a nucleic acid which encodes an oncogenic isoform provided herein, comprising: (a) contacting a suitable sample with a compound capable of specifically binding a nucleic acid encoding oncogenic isoform provided herein; and (b) determining whether any compound is bound to the nucleic acid, where the presence of compound bound to the nucleic acid in the sample indicates the detection of a nucleic acid encoding the oncogenic isoform.

The term "sample," as it refers to samples used for detecting nucleic acids includes, but is not limited to, cells, cell lysates, nucleic acids extracts of cells, tissue samples, or body fluids. Body fluids include, but are not limited to, blood, serum and saliva. In one embodiment, the suitable sample is obtained from a subject.

Methods of obtaining mRNA from a suitable sample are well known in the art. Further, methods of making cDNA from mRNA, such as reverse transcription, are also well known in the art.

As used herein, "amplifying" means increasing the numbers of copies of a specific DNA fragment. In one embodiment, the amplifying of the cDNA is carried out using PCR (polymerase chain reaction).

In one embodiment, the amplifying of the cDNA is accomplished using primers flanking the entire reading frame of a proto-oncogene encoding an oncoogenic isoform polypep-

tide. In another embodiment, the amplifying of the cDNA is accomplished out using primers flanking a portion, e.g. an exon, of a nucleic acid encoding the polypeptide oncogenic isoform. In yet another embodiment, one or more of the primers hybridize to sequences of the oncogenic isoform 5 which are present in the nucleic acid encoding the oncogenic isoform, but absent in the nucleic acid encoding a non-oncogenic isoform, or vice versa. In yet another embodiment, a primer may hybridize to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, or 17. In 10 certain embodiments, a primer may be 18-22 nucleotides in length.

In one embodiment, comparing the amplified cDNA to the cDNA of a nucleic acid known to encode the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or epitope fragment thereof is accomplished by comparing the sequence of the amplified cDNA to the known sequence corresponding to the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or epitope fragment thereof. The presence or absence of sequence in the amplified sequence will indicate that the oncogenic isoform is present or absent.

In another embodiment, comparing the amplified cDNA to the cDNA of a nucleic acid known to encode the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or epitope fragment thereof is accomplished by comparing the size of the amplified cDNA to the size of the DNA of a gene known to correspond to the 25 proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or epitope fragment thereof. A difference in size will indicate that the amplified DNA encodes an oncogenic isoform.

The invention also provides methods of determining whether a subject is expressing an oncogenic isoform comprising: (a) obtaining cDNA from mRNA obtained from a suitable sample from the subject; (b) amplifying the cDNA corresponding to the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or an epitope fragment thereof; and (c) comparing the amplified cDNA to the cDNA of a nucleic acid known to encode the proto-oncogene, oncogenic isoform, or an epitope fragment thereof, wherein the presence of the oncogenic isoform in the amplified cDNA indicates that the subject is expressing the oncogenic isoform.

A "suitable sample" in connection with the above method 40 of determining whether a subject is expressing an oncogenic isoform refers to any sample from the subject that could contain the oncogenic isoform. Examples include, but are not limited to, body fluids and tissue samples. Examples of body fluids include, but are not limited to, blood, serum, urine and 45 saliva.

Amplifying, comparing, and determining the presence of the cDNA may be accomplished as stated above. Nucleic Acids

The invention also features nucleic acids comprising 50 nucleotide sequences that encode heavy and light chain variable regions and CDRs of the anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody molecules, as described herein. For example, the invention features a first and second nucleic acid encoding heavy and light chain variable regions, respectively, of an anti-FGFR2-IIIc 55 antibody molecule chosen from one or more of, e.g., Atto-MuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-02, Atto-MuMab-03, Atto-HuMab-01, Atto-MuMab-06, or Atto-MuMab-08, as described herein. The nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 29A, 29C, 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 60 34A (SEQ ID NO: 87 for VH), 34B (SEQ ID NO: 89 for VL), or 37B, or a sequence substantially identical thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, or which differs by no more than 3, 6, 15, 30, or 45 nucleotides from the sequences shown in FIG. 29A, 29C, 65 29E, 30A, 30C, 30E, 34A (SEQ ID NO: 87 for VH), 34B (SEQ ID NO: 89 for VL), or 37B.

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In certain embodiments, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 35 (SEQ ID NOs: 92, 94 and 96 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 28, 29F (SEQ ID NOs: 147-149 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30F (SEQ ID NOs: 147, 158 and 159 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 38, 39 (SEQ ID NOs: 147-149 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), or **40**, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one or more substitutions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In other embodiments, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 35 (SEQ ID NOs: 98, 100 and 102 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 28, 29D (SEQ ID NOs: 155, 156 and 146 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30D (SEQ ID NOs: 155-157 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 38, 39 (SEQ ID NOs: 144-146 for VL CDRs 20 1-3, respectively), or 40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one or more substitutions, e.g., conserved substitutions). In yet another embodiment, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, three, four, five, or six CDRs from heavy and light chain variable regions having an amino acid sequence as set forth in FIG. 35 (SEQ ID NOs: 92, 94 and 96 for VH CDRs 1-3, and SEQ ID NOs: 98, 100 and 102 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 28, 29D (SEQ ID NOs: 155, 156 and 146 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), **29**F (SEQ ID NOs: 147-149 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30D (SEQ ID NOs: 155-157 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30F (SEQ ID NOs: 147, 158 and 159 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 38, 39 (SEQ ID NOs: 144-146 for VH CDRs 1-3, and SEQ ID NOs: 147-149 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), or 40, or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or having one or more substitutions, e.g., conserved substitutions).

In certain embodiments, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a heavy chain variable region having the nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 34A (SEQ ID NOs: 91, 93 and 95 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 29E (SEQ ID NOs: 187-189 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30E (SEQ ID NOs: 181-183 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), or 37B (SEQ ID NOs: 175-177 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or capable of hybridizing under the stringency conditions described herein). In another embodiment, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, or three CDRs from a light chain variable region having the nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 34B (SEQ ID NOs: 97, 99 and 101 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 29C (SEQ ID NOs: 184-186 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), 30C (SEQ ID NOs: 178-180 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), or 37B (SEQ ID NOs: 172-174 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or capable of hybridizing under the stringency conditions described herein). In yet another embodiment, the nucleic acid can comprise a nucleotide sequence encoding at least one, two, three, four, five, or six CDRs from heavy and light chain variable regions having the nucleotide sequence as set forth in FIG. 34A (SEQ ID NOs: 91, 93 and 95 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), 34B (SEQ ID NOs: 97, 99

and 101 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), **29**C (SEQ ID NOs: 184-186 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), **29**E (SEQ ID NOs: 187-189 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), **30**C (SEQ ID NOs: 178-180 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), **30**E (SEQ ID NOs: 181-183 for VH CDRs 1-3, respectively), or **37**B (SEQ ID SO: 175-177 for VH CDRs 1-3, and SEQ ID NOs: 172-174 for VL CDRs 1-3, respectively), or a sequence substantially homologous thereto (e.g., a sequence at least about 85%, 90%, 95%, 99% or more identical thereto, and/or capable of hybridizing under the stringency conditions described 10 herein).

In another aspect, the application features host cells and vectors containing the nucleic acids described herein. The nucleic acids may be present in a single vector or separate vectors present in the same host cell or separate host cell, as described in more detail hereinbelow.

In one embodiment the invention provides isolated nucleic acids encoding the oncogenic polypeptide isoforms provided herein, or a substantially identical sequence thereof.

In one embodiment, the invention also provides isolated nucleic acids encoding the polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof. In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated nucleic acids encoding polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid encodes an isoform or epitope fragment thereof of an oncogenic form of a proto-oncogene is selected from the group consisting of FGFR2, FGFR1, RON Receptor tyrosine kinase, KIT receptor tyrosine kinase, PDGF, and PDGFR-alpha.

In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated nucleic acids encoding rat polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof. In one embodiment, the invention provides isolated nucleic acids encoding mouse polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof. In other embodiments the isolated nucleic acids encoding polypeptides of human oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof will be derived from other species, including but not limited to, dogs, pigs, guinea pigs and rabbits. FGFR2

In one embodiment the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding an oncogenic polypeptide isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative use of Exon III of a nucleic acid encoding a FGFR2. In one embodiment, the alternative use of Exon III results in sequence variation in the region of amino acids from 301-360, when aligned with FGFR2 IIIb. Thus, in one aspect the nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising a sequence selected from the group of SEQ NOs: 2, 4, 6, and 8. In another aspect the nucleic acid comprises a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ NOs: 1, 3, 5, and 7.

In another embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding an oncogenic polypeptide isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 8 of FGFR1. In one embodiment, the alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 8 results in a deletion of 105 amino acids, when aligned with an FGFR1 proto-oncogene. Thus, in one aspect the isolated nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising a sequence of SEQ NO: 10. In another aspect, the nucleic acid comprises the sequence of SEQ NO: 9.

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RON Receptor Tyrosine Kinase

In another embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding polypeptides of oncogenic isoforms or epitope fragments thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 5 and 6 of RON receptor tyrosine kinase. In one embodiment, the alternative deletion of Exons 5 and 6 results in an in-frame deletion of 109 amino acids in the extracellular domain, when aligned with a RON receptor tyrosine kinase proto-oncogene. In one aspect, the isolated nucleic acid comprises a juxtaposition of Exons 4 and 7. Thus, in one aspect the isolated nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising the sequence of SEQ NO: 12. In another aspect the isolated nucleic acid comprises the sequence of SEQ NO: 11.

KIT Receptor Tyrosine Kinase

In another embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exon 11 of a nucleic acid encoding KIT receptor tyrosine kinase. Thus, in one aspect the isolated nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising the sequence of SEQ NO: 14. In another aspect the nucleic acid comprises the sequence of SEQ NO: 13. PDGF

In another embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative in-frame deletion of Exon 6 of PDGF. Thus, in one aspect the isolated nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising the sequence of SEQ NO: 16. In another aspect the isolated nucleic acid comprises the sequence of SEQ NO: 15.

PDGFR-Alpha

In another embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising a segment of nucleotides which arise from an alternative deletion of Exons 7 and 8 (e.g., amino acids 374-456) of PDGFR-alpha. Thus, in one aspect the isolated nucleic acid encodes a polypeptide comprising the sequence of SEQ NO: 18. In another aspect the nucleic acid comprises the sequence of SEQ NO: 17.

Alternatively, an isolated nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof may be encoded by a nucleic acid which is substantially identical to a nucleic acid of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof provided herein. Likewise, an isolated nucleic acid may encode a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof which is substantially identical to an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof, as provided berein.

A sequence (polypeptide or nucleic acid) that "substantially corresponds" to another sequence may be a sequence that allows single amino acid or nucleotide substitutions, deletions and/or insertions. In one embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 80% sequence identity. In another embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 85% sequence identity. In another embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 90% sequence identity. In another embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 95% sequence identity. In another embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 97%

sequence identity. In another embodiment, sequences that substantially correspond have 99% sequence identity.

In another embodiment, the nucleic acid encodes an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, or 20, but with a conservative amino acid substitution. In another embodiment, the nucleic acid encodes an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10 conservative amino acid substitutions with respect to SEQ ID NOs: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, or 20. In another embodiment, the nucleic acid encodes an oncogenic polypeptide insert variant comprising 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, or 20 conservative amino acid substitutions with respect to SEQ ID NOs: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, or 20.

The invention also provides an isolated nucleic acid that specifically binds to a nucleic acid provided herein or a nucleic acid capable of hybridizing under high stringency conditions to a nucleic acid described herein, or a substantially identical sequence thereof.

The invention provides an isolated nucleic acid capable of hybridizing under high stringency conditions to a nucleic acid encoding an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof ²⁵ comprising SEQ ID NO: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, or 20 or a substantially identical sequence thereof. The invention provides an isolated nucleic acid capable of hybridizing under high stringency conditions to a nucleic acid comprising the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, or 17, or a fragment thereof.

This invention also provides isolated nucleic acids encoding an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof, wherein the nucleic acid is at least 80% identical to a nucleic 35 acid encoding an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof, wherein the nucleic acid encoding the oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof comprises a segment of nucleotides at a position which corresponds to the alternative slice junction which when used renders the polypeptide oncogenic. In increasingly more preferred embodiments, rather than 80%, the percent identity is 85%, 90%, 95%, 97%, or 99%.

The nucleic acids described herein can be labeled with a 45 detectable marker. Detectable markers include, but are not limited to: a radioactive marker, a colorimetric marker, a luminescent marker, an enzyme marker and a fluorescent marker. Radioactive markers include, but are not limited to: ³H, ¹⁴C, ³²P, ³³P, ³⁵S, ³⁶Cl, ⁵¹Cr, ⁵⁷Co, ⁵⁹Fe, ⁹⁰Y, ¹²⁵I, ¹³¹I, and ¹⁸⁶Re. Fluorescent markers include, but are not limited to, fluorescein, rhodamine and auramine. Colorimetric markers include, but are not limited to, biotin and digoxigenin. Any suitable method for attaching markers to nucleic acids may be used with the nucleotides of the invention, and many such methods are well known in the art.

Further, the invention provides nucleic acids complementary to the nucleic acids disclosed herein. By a nucleic acid sequence "homologous to" or "complementary to", it is meant a nucleic acid that selectively hybridizes, duplexes or binds to a target nucleic acid sequence. For example, adenine is complementary to thymine as they can form two hydrogen bonds. Similarly, guanine and cytosine are complementary since they can form three hydrogen bonds. A nucleic acid sequence, which is homologous to a target sequence, can

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include sequences, which are shorter or longer than the target sequence as long as they meet the functional test set forth.

It will be readily understood by those skilled in the art and it is intended here, that when reference is made to particular sequence listings, such reference includes sequences which substantially correspond to its complementary sequence and those described including allowances for minor sequencing errors, single base changes, deletions, substitutions and the like, such that any such sequence variation corresponds to the nucleic acid encoding the polypeptide to which the relevant sequence listing relates.

Vectors

The invention also provides vectors comprising nucleotides encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope thereof provided herein. In one embodiment, the vectors comprise nucleotides encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof provided herein. In one embodiment, the vectors comprise the nucleotide sequences described herein. The vectors include, but are not limited to, a virus, plasmid, cosmid, lambda phage or a yeast artificial chromosome (YAC).

In accordance with the invention, numerous vector systems may be employed. For example, one class of vectors utilizes DNA elements which are derived from animal viruses such as, for example, bovine papilloma virus, polyoma virus, adenovirus, vaccinia virus, baculovirus, retroviruses (Rous Sarcoma Virus, MMTV or MOMLV) or SV40 virus. Another class of vectors utilizes RNA elements derived from RNA viruses such as Semliki Forest virus, Eastern Equine Encephalitis virus and Flaviviruses.

Additionally, cells which have stably integrated the DNA into their chromosomes may be selected by introducing one or more markers which allow for the selection of transfected host cells. The marker may provide, for example, prototropy to an auxotrophic host, biocide resistance, (e.g., antibiotics), or resistance to heavy metals such as copper, or the like. The selectable marker gene can be either directly linked to the DNA sequences to be expressed, or introduced into the same cell by cotransformation. Additional elements may also be needed for optimal synthesis of mRNA. These elements may include splice signals, as well as transcriptional promoters, enhancers, and termination signals.

Once the expression vector or DNA sequence containing the constructs has been prepared for expression, the expression vectors may be transfected or introduced into an appropriate host cell. Various techniques may be employed to achieve this, such as, for example, protoplast fusion, calcium phosphate precipitation, electroporation, retroviral transduction, viral transfection, gene gun, lipid based transfection or other conventional techniques. In the case of protoplast fusion, the cells are grown in media and screened for the appropriate activity. Expression of the gene encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof results in production of the polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof.

Methods and conditions for culturing the resulting transfected cells and for recovering the polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof so produced are well known to those skilled in the art, and may be varied or

optimized depending upon the specific expression vector and mammalian host cell employed, based upon the present description.

Cells

The invention also provides host cells comprising a nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof as described herein.

In one embodiment, the host cells are genetically engineered to comprise nucleic acids encoding a polypeptide of 10 an oncogenic isoform or epitope fragment thereof.

In one embodiment, the host cells are genetically engineered by using an expression cassette. The phrase "expression cassette," refers to nucleotide sequences, which are capable of affecting expression of a gene in hosts compatible with such sequences. Such cassettes may include a promoter, an open reading frame with or without introns, and a termination signal. Additional factors necessary or helpful in effecting expression may also be used, such as, for example, 20 an inducible promoter.

The invention also provides host cells comprising the vectors described herein.

The cell can be, but is not limited to, a eukaryotic cell, a bacterial cell, an insect cell, or a human cell. Suitable eukary- 25 otic cells include, but are not limited to. Vero cells, HeLa cells, COS cells, CHO cells, HEK293 cells, BHK cells and MDCKII cells. Suitable insect cells include, but are not limited to, Sf9 cells.

The Examples that follow are set forth to aid in the under- 30 standing of the inventions but are not intended to, and should not be construed to, limit its scope in any way.

EXAMPLES

Example 1

Isoform Specific Epitopes

Example 1.1

FGFR2: Isoform FGFR2-IIIc (SEQ ID NO: 19)

This isoform of Fibroblast Growth Factor Receptor 2 (FGFR2) is predominantly expressed in hormone-refractory 45 prostate cancer. Alternative usage of exon III results in different sequence in the Ig-like loop III of the extracellular domain, which is critical for ligand binding. Isoform IIIb is expressed in normal prostate epithelial cells. Malignant prostate cancer cells switch to IIIc isoform, which has high bind- 50 ing affinity to growth factors with high transforming activities, e.g., FGF8b isoform.

FGFR2-IIIc uses the alternative exon III, which encodes difference sequence than that in isoform FGFR2-IIIb. with IIIb isoform in the region of the carboxyl terminal half of the Ig-loop III region, from amino acid position 314 to 353. The isoform structure of FGFR2 is shown in FIG. 1.

Sequence alignment of IIIc and IIIb isoforms shows the differences in carboxyl terminal half of the Ig loop III region 60

Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 19) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 20) sequences of FGFR2-IIIc are shown in FIGS. 3A and 3B respectively.

Nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 1) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 65 2) sequences of FGFR2Exon-IIIc are shown in FIGS. 4A and 2, respectively. Nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 64) and amino acid

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(SEQ ID NO: 65) sequences of FGFR2Exon-IIIb are shown in FIGS. 4B and 2, respectively.

Short peptide sequences were also used as epitopes for generation of monoclonal antibodies. Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 4) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 3) sequences of IIIc-314, are shown in FIG. 5A. Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 6) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 5) sequences of IIIc-328 are shown in FIG. 5B. Amino acid (SÉQ ID NO: 8) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 7) sequences of IIIc-350 are shown in FIG. 5C. Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 56) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 60) sequences of IIIb (Loop3-C') fragment: amino acids 314-351, are shown in FIG. 6A. Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 57) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 61) sequences of IIIb epitope: amino acids 314-328 are shown in FIG. 6B. Amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 58) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 62) sequences of IIIb epitope: amino acids 340-351 are shown in FIG. 6C.

Example 1.2

FGFR1: Isoform FGFR1L (Deletion of Exon 7 & 8; 105 Amino Acids; Part of Ig-II and Part of Ig-III)

The isoform structure of Fibroblast Growth Factor Receptor 1 (FGFR1) is shown in FIG. 7. The amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 10) and nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 9) sequences for the epitope at the junction are shown in FIG. 8.

Example 1.3

RON Receptor Tyrosine Kinase: Isoform RONΔ160

This isoform of Macrophage stimulating 1 receptor (RON) is constitutively active. Skipping of exons 5 and 6 results in an in-frame deletion of 109 amino acids in the extracellular domain

The epitope is at the junction between exon 4 and exon 7. 35 The nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 11) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 12) sequences of this epitope are shown in FIG. 9.

Example 1.4

KIT Receptor Tyrosine Kinase (Deletion in Exon 11)

Most gastrointestinal stromal tumors, GISTs, harbor oncogenic mutations in the v-kit Hardy-Zuckerman 4 feline sarcoma viral oncogene homolog (KIT) gene, and the majority of these mutations affect the juxtamembrane domain of the kinase encoded by exon 11.

The nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 13) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 14) sequences for this epitope are shown in FIG. 10.

Example 1.5

PDGF: Isoform 2 (in-Framed Deletion of Exon 6)

Platelet-Derived Growth Factor (PDGF) isoform 2 has in-FGFR2-IIIc isoform contains non-homologous sequence 55 frame deletion of exon 6. The nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 15) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 16) sequences for this epitope are shown in FIG. 11.

Example 1.6

PDGFR-Alpha: Delta-Exon 7 and 8 (Amino Acids 374 to 456)

Platelet-Derived Growth Factor Receptor alpha (PDGFRalpha) has deletion in exons 7 and 8. The nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 17) and amino acid (SEQ ID NO: 18) sequences for this epitope are shown in FIG. 12.

			TABLE	1				
Sequences used	for d	esigning	epitopes	for	isoform-	specific	antibodies:	

SEQ ID	Protein Isoform	Epitope	Sequence for Epitope Design	
1	FGFR2-IIIc	Exon-IIIc	5'tacgggcccgacgggctgccctacctcaaggttctcaaggccgccgg tgttaacaccacggacaaagagattgaggttctctatattcggaatgta acttttgaggacgctggggaatatacgtgcttggcgggtaattctattg ggatatcctttcactctgcatggttgacagttctg 3'	
2	FGFR2-IIIc	Exon-IIIc (a.a 301- 360)	YGPDGLPYLKVLKAAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIR NVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFHSAWLTVL	
3	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-314	5' gcc gcc ggt gtt aac acc acg gac aaa gag att 3'	
4	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-314	AAGVNTTDKEI	
5	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-328	5' tat att egg aat gta act ttt gag gae get 3'	
6	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-328	YIRNVTFEDA	
7	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-350	5' ata tcc ttt cac 3'	
8	FGFR2-IIIc	IIIc-350	ISFH	
9	FGFR1L	Ig-II/III	5' AAT GGC AAA GAA TTC AAA CCT GAC CAC AGA ATT GGA GGC TAC AAG //ACT GCT GGA GTT AAT ACC ACC GAC AAA GAG ATG GAG GTG CTT CAC 3'	
10	FGFR1L	Ig-II/III	NGKEFKPDHRIGGYK//TAGVNTTDKEMEVLH	
11	RON receptor, RON∆160	Exon4/7	5' Cet gge tee tgg caa cag gae cae tge cea cet aag ett act gag Gag cea gtg etg ata gea gtg caa eee ete ttt gge eea egg gea 3'	
12	RON receptor, RON∆160	Exon4/7	PGSWQQDHCPPKLTEEPVLIAVQPLFGPRA	
13	KIT receptor	Delta- Exonl1	5' Atg atg tga att att gtg Atg att ctg acc tac aaa tat tta cag gtl gtt gag gag ata aat gga aac aat tat gtt tac ata gac cca 3'	
14	KIT receptor	Delta- Exon11	MMCIIVMILTYKYLQVVEEINGNNYVYIDP	
15	PDGF isoform-2	Delta- exon6	5' tgc gcg acc aca agc ctg aat ccg gat tat cgg gaa gag gac acg gat gtg agg 3'	
16	PDGF isoform-2	Delta- exon6	CATTSLNPDYREEDTDVR	
17	PDGFR-a	Delta- exon7&8	5' ctcactgagatcaccactgatgtggaaaagattcaggaaataagg//aataatgaa acttoctggactattttggccaacaatgtctcaaac 3'	
18	PDGFR-a	Delta- exon7&8	LTEITTDVEKIQEIR//NNETSWTILANNVSN	

Shaded area = nucleotide seq Clear area = amino acid seq

Example 2

Generation of FGFR2 Isoform Specific Antibody

Antibodies to FGFR2 (non-specific to the isoforms) are commercially available. However, these antibodies do not 50 significantly distinguish between different isoforms. For the purpose of studying the isoform protein distribution and function in tumor and normal tissues, antibodies recognizing isoform-specific sequences for FGFR2-IIIc and IIIb (FIG. 1) were designed. Monoclonal antibodies were generated by 55 common hybridoma technology. Briefly, coding sequences were either PCR amplified or chemically synthesized based on gene sequences of SEQ ID NOs: 19 and 63, respectively. The DNA fragments were subsequently cloned into a commercially available mammalian expression vector. The 60 expression vectors were used for genetic immunization of 5 mice for each antigen. Immunized mice that had serum titer greater than 40.000-fold by ELISA test were used for fusion with myeloma SP 2/0 cells for generation of hybridoma

Monoclonal antibodies were screened by ELISA and Western blots for affinity and specificity. Multiple monoclonal antibody clones for each isoform were further characterized by binding specificity, affinity and IC $_{50}$ (concentration at 50% inhibition) against target receptors. Receptors were prepared either as full-length membrane bound receptor (for cell-based assays) or as soluble form of the extracellular domain fused to human IgG Fc (for ELISA based tests). Positive monoclonal antibody clones to FGFR2IIIc were chosen for further development based on the following criteria (i) no detectable crossreactivity with FGFR2 IIIb isoform, (ii) nanomolar affinity to its receptor based on EC $_{50}$ value, (iii) staining profile in prostate tumor, other tumors and normal tissue controls. Anti-FGFR2 IIIb monoclonal antibody clones were chosen by similar criteria and used as a control for in vitro studies and for IHC staining of normal and tumor tissues.

These monoclonal antibodies can be humanized by using routine procedures. For example, humanized anti-FGFR2 isoform specific antibodies can be generated by replacing sequences of the Fv variable region which are not directly involved in antigen binding with equivalent sequences from human Fv variable regions, as described by, e.g., Morrison, S. L., 1985, *Science* 229:1202-1207, by Oi et al., 1986, *BioTechniques* 4:214, and by Queen et al., U.S. Pat. No. 5,585,089,

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U.S. Pat. No. 5,693,761 and U.S. Pat. No. 5,693,762, the contents of all of which are hereby incorporated by reference. Humanized anti-FGFR2 isoform specific antibodies can also be produced by CDR-grafting or CDR substitution, wherein one, two, or all CDRs of an immunoglobulin chain are replaced, as described in, e.g., U.S. Pat. No. 5,225,539; Jones et al., 1986 *Nature* 321:552-525; Verhoeyan et al., 1988 *Science* 239:1534; Beidler et al., 1988 *J. Immunol.* 141:4053-4060; Winter U.S. Pat. No. 5,225,539, the contents of all of which are hereby expressly incorporated by reference.

The anti-FGFR2 isoform specific antibodies can also be produced by phage display technology. Phage display techniques for generating anti-FGFR2 isoform specific antibodies are known in the art (as described in, e.g., Ladner et al. U.S. Pat. No. 5,223,409; Kang et al., International Publication No. WO 92/18619; Dower et al. International Publication No. WO 91/17271; Winter et al., International Publication WO 92/20791; Markland et al., International Publication No. WO 92/15679; Breitling et al., International Publication WO 93/01288; McCafferty et al., International Publication No. 20 WO 92/01047; Garrard et al., International Publication No. WO 92/09690; Ladner et al., International Publication No. WO 90/02809; Fuchs et al., (1991) Bio/Technology 9:1370-1372; Hay et al., (1992) Hum Antibod Hybridomas 3:81-85; Huse et al., (1989) Science 246:1275-1281; Griffths et al., 25 (1993) EMBO J. 12:725-734; Hawkins et al. (1992) J Mol Biol 226:889-896; Clackson et al. (1991) Nature 352:624-628; Gram et al., (1992) PNAS 89:3576-3580; Garrad et al., (1991) Bio/Technology 9:1373-1377; Hoogenboom et al., (1991) Nuc Acid Res 19:4133-4137; and Barbas et al., (1991) 30 PNAS 88:7978-7982, the contents of all of which are incorporated by reference herein).

Example 3

Generation of Soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc Receptor

A DNA sequence encoding the extracellular domain of the human FGFR2 beta (IIIc) protein (nucleotides 1-786 of SEQ ID NO: 54) was fused to the carboxy-terminal Fc region of 40 human IgG1. The two gene fragments were jointed by a 6 nucleotide linker from a restriction enzyme (Bgl-II), which created two amino acid residues, Arginine and Serine. The total sequence encodes a polypeptide of 491 amino acids. The signal sequence is 21 amino acids; therefore the mature protein of this chimera is 470 amino acids in length. The calculated molecular weight is 52.81 kilodaltons (kDa).

The structure of this fusion protein is illustrated in FIG. $13\mathrm{A}$.

The nucleotide (SEQ ID NO: 54) and amino acid (SEQ ID 50 NO: 55) sequences of the soluble FGFR2 IIIc-Fc fusion protein are shown in FIGS. **13**B and **13**C, respectively.

The fusion protein was expressed by generation of stable cell lines in CHO host cells. The recombinant protein is soluble and secreted in the culture media. By analysis on 55 SDS-PAGE under reduced conditions, the recombinant protein migrates as an approximately 95 kDa protein, presumably as a result of glycosylation (FIG. 13D). In FIG. 13D, lane 7 shows the molecular weight standards. Thirteen clonal cell lines were analyzed on the blot (lanes 1-6, 8-14). The conditioned media (20 microliter per lane) from each clone was run on the SDS-PAGE gel, subsequently transferred onto Western blot. The blot was stained with a secondary antibody, goatanti-human IgG conjugated with alkaline phosphatase. Lane 3, 10, 11 and 14 show positive expression of the Fc fusion 65 protein of FGFR2 beta-ECD from stable clone number 1D2, 1F5, 1F7 and 1F10.

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Clone 1D2 was used as a cell line for production of cell conditioned media for protein purification. The supernatant of cell conditioned medium was collected after 72 hours of cell culture. Fusion protein of FGFR2 beta-ECD was purified by affinity chromatography using Protein-G Sepharose fast Flow (GE Healthcare, Life Sciences—Products) according to manufacturer's protocol. The functional activity of the purified soluble receptor was demonstrated by ligand binding assay as shown in FIG. 13E. The ligand protein FGF8b was coated on ELISA plates at 2 microgram per milliliter, at 4 C over night. Coated plates were washed in PSB containing 0.05% Tween-20 (PBST), subsequently blocked in 2% BSA in PBST buffer at room temperature for 2 hours. Subsequently, preparations of purified fusion protein FGFR2 beta-ECD, at concentration of 4 microgram per milliliter, was allowed to bind to the FGF8b coated on the plates. The binding was detected by adding a secondary antibody, goat antihuman IgG Fc conjugated with horseradish peroxidase (HRP) and by using a chromogenic substrate 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine (TMB). The signal was measured in an ELISA plate reader at absorbance wavelength 450 nm.

In FIG. 13E, two different preparations of Protein-G purified soluble fusion receptor FGFR2c beta-EDC (prep-A, and prep-B) were added to the plate, 100 microliter per well at 4 microgram/ml. After incubation at room temperature for 60 minutes, the binding was measured with a goat anti-human IgG Fc-HRP and TMB substrate. The signal was measured at 450 nm on a plate reader. Results showed that both preparations of purified soluble receptor exhibited similar binding activity to its ligand FGF8b in the ELISA binding assay.

The assay method described in FIG. **13**E was used for testing antibody anti-FGFR2IIIc inhibitory activity for blocking ligand binding to the isoform receptor FGFR2IIIc. FGF8b is a specific growth factor ligand for isoform IIIc of receptor FGFR2, it does not detectably bind to IIIb isoform of the same receptor (data not shown; Zhang et al., (2006) *J Biol. Chem.* 281, 15694-15700).

To demonstrate that the mouse monoclonal antibody Mo-3B6 (also referred to herein as "Atto-MuMab-03") can block ligand binding of the receptor FGFR2IIIc, a ligand binding assay as described above in FIG. 13E was performed in the presence or absence of the monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-03. Atto-MuMab-03 was pre-incubated with FGFR2IIIc-ECD-Fc before adding to the ligand (FGF8b) coated plates. The binding of FGFR2IIIc to the ligand in the presence or absence of different concentrations of Atto-MuMab-03 was measured via a secondary antibody conjugated with HRP (goat anti-human IgG Fc-HRP). Shown in FIG. 13F, antibody Atto-MuMab-03 exhibited specific and concentration-dependent inhibition to receptor FGFR2IIIc in ligand binding activity. The negative control mouse antibody, an irrelevant monoclonal clone, called 5D3, showed no significant blocking effect to receptor FGFG2IIIc binding to the ligand.

Example 4

Generation of FGFR2 IIIc Peptide

Isoform-specific peptides of FGFR2 IIIc can be generated by standard recombinant or solid phase synthesis.

For example, peptides having the amino acid sequences shown in Table 1 and FIGS. 6A-6C can be generated by cloning the corresponding nucleotide sequences into an expression vector as described in Example 2.

Alternatively, peptides can be synthesized by standard methods of solid or solution phase peptide chemistry. A sum-

mary of the solid phase techniques can be found in Stewart and Young (1963) Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis, W. H. Freeman Co. (San Francisco), and Meienhofer (1973) Hormonal Proteins and Peptides, Academic Press (New York). For classical solution synthesis see Schroder and Lupke, The Peptides, Vol. 1, Academic Press (New York). In general, one or more amino acids or suitably protected amino acids can be sequentially added to a growing peptide chain. The protected amino acid is then either attached to an inert solid support or utilized in solution by adding the next amino acid in the sequence having the complimentary (amino or carboxyl) group suitably protected and under conditions suitable for forming the amide linkage. The protecting group is then removed from this newly added amino acid residue and the 15 next amino acid (suitably protected) is added, and so forth. After all the desired amino acids have been linked in the proper sequence, any remaining protecting groups (and any solid support) are removed sequentially or concurrently to afford the final peptide. More than one amino acid can be 20 added at a time to a growing chain, for example, by coupling (under conditions which do not racemize chiral centers) a protected tripeptide with a properly protected dipeptide to form, after deprotection, a pentapeptide.

Example 5

Testing of Antibody Molecules for Targeting of Fibroblast Growth Factor Receptor-2 (FGFR2) Isoform IIIc in Prostate Cancer

This example evaluates the therapeutic feasibility of an antibody drug against FGFR2 IIIc (anti-FGFR2-IIIc antibody) in prostate cancer models. The molecular target of the antibody, FGFR2 isoform Inc, has been associated with 35 androgen-independent tumor growth and metastasis. This approach is based on the high expression level of this receptor on hormone-refractory prostate cancer (HRPC) and its key role in enhancing the invasive behavior of tumor cells (epithelial-to-mesenchymal transition, EMT). This isoform-spe- 40 cific antibody drug is designed with the intention of targeting the "bad isoform" of FGFR2 receptor on tumor, but spare the "good isoform" FGFR2-IIIb on normal prostate epithelium that functions to suppress tumor growth. Cell Lines

The androgen-independent human prostate cancer cells DU145 (ATCC) and DU9479 (Duke University) used in this study are both well-characterized cell lines displaying metastatic properties and androgen-independent growth. DU145 was derived from carcinoma of prostate cancer metastasized 50 range of cancer cell lines, including prostate, bladder, lung to the brain (Stone et al. (1978) Int. J. Cancer 21: 274-281). This cell line expresses predominantly FGFR2-IIIc (Carstens et al., (1997) Oncogene 15, 3059-3065). It has been frequently used in animal model studies for tumor growth and angiogenesis (Garrison et al., (2007) Cancer Res. 67:11344-55 11352; Russel and Voeks (2003) Methods in Molecular MedicineTM: "Prostate Cancer: Methods and Protocols" Animal Models of Prostate Cancer. Page 89-112). Other human prostate tumor lines, e.g. PC-3 (hormone-independent) or LNCaP (hormone dependent, express IIIb) are used for some work as 60 comparisons or negative controls. DU9479 is another androgen insensitive line, and consists of entirely FGFR2IIIc isoform (Carstens et al., (1997) Oncogene 15, 3059-3065).

For in vitro cell based assays, DU145 is suitable for most of the experiments, including proliferation and receptor activa- 65 tion assays. For the ligand binding assay, Transfected cells that express the recombinant FGFR2IIIc target can be used.

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Monoclonal antibodies anti-FGFR2-IIIc and IIIb were generated and characterized (referenced herein as "Ab-1" or 'Atto-MuMab-01" and "Ab-2" or "Atto-MuMab-02," respectively). Other biochemical reagents (FGFs) and immunochemical reagents (e.g., antibodies to phosphotyrosine, signaling molecules of Grb2, ERK1/2, STAT1 and SHP2) can be purchased from various commercial vendors.

The antibody molecules can be tested in vitro and in vivo using hormone-independent tumor lines, DU145 and DU9479. The following experiments can be conducted:

- 1) Testing Ab-1 In Vitro Activity and Cellular Mechanism
- a. Inhibition of receptor activation and signaling
 - b. Blocking ligand binding or receptor dimerization
 - c. Effects on cell proliferation and apoptosis
- 2) Testing Ab-1 In Vivo Efficacy in Human Prostate Cancer Xenografts

d. Effect on inhibiting tumor growth, tumor angiogenesis Monoclonal antibody Atto-MuMab-01 was developed with a dual functionality in the design. The mode-of-action for this antibody can include both inhibitor function, i.e. blocking receptor's activation, and immunological function, i.e. inducing cytotoxic T-cell activity. Atto-MuMab-01 binds to the isoform-specific domain of Ig-like loop-3 on the FGFR2IIIc receptor. This domain is involved in ligand binding specificity as previously demonstrated by crystal structure analysis (Shaun et al., (2006) Genes & Dev. 20: 185-198). It is expected that antibody Atto-MuMab-01 can block ligand binding, therefore, inhibiting receptor activation. Secondly, the antibody can activate the body's cellular immunity. This antibody is a human IgG1 isotype and can elicit strong immune responses of antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC) and/or complement-mediated cell lysis. Atto-MuMab-01 is engineered at amino acid position 333 from glutamine to alanine in the Fc region to further enhance the ADCC activity of the antibody. Therefore, when the antibody binds to FGFR2IIIc positive tumor cells, it can recruit cytotoxic T-cells via ADCC to mount potent tumor killing activities.

Thus, Atto-MuMab-01 can have robust anti-tumor activity, and at the same time, can have an attractive safety feature. Because it binds strictly to the IIIc-positive tumor, it can selectively kill tumor cells without causing serious side-effects to normal epithelial tissues (which express IIIb isoform).

Example 5.1

Validation Studies for Expression of FGFR2IIIc

Validation studies for expression of FGFR2IIIc in a broad (NSCLC) and thyroid, were performed. FGFR2IIIc expression was also investigated by tissue-distribution profiling (IHC staining). The following studies were conducted.

Demonstrate specific binding to prostate tumor cells, not by matched normal prostate (Tissue Arrays compliant with FDA, from US Biomax, Rockville, Md. 20849; Multi-Tumor Microarrays from Invitrogen)

IHC staining for 30 organ tissue arrays to demonstrate no cross reactivity to healthy tissue (Tissue Arrays from US Biomax, Rockville, Md. 20849)

Example 5.2

Construction of FGF8-SEAP

This construct was made to facilitate a sensitive, nonlabeling ligand-binding assay. The coding sequence of

FGF8b was PCR cloned from cDNA template (SEQ ID NO: 66) and inserted behind the secreted alkaline phosphatase gene in a commercially available expression vector. A flexible linker of 10-amino acid GGGGSGGGGS (SEQ ID NO: 59) was added between the two fragments, and a His-tag was added to the C-terminal of the fusion protein to facilitate protein purification. The resulting fusion protein, FGF8-SEAP can be easily prepared as secreted form in cell supernatant and used directly for most of the assays. To quantify the enzymatic activity, purified SEAP (commercially available) was used as a standard, and chemiluminescent substrate was used for measuring the light signal. SEAP activity directly correlates with the quantity of the ligand FGF8b.

Example 5.3

In Vitro Studies for Cellular Mechanisms

Established anti-cancer antibody drugs, such as Herceptin (anti-Her2 receptor for breast cancer) and Erbitux (anti-EGFR receptor for head and neck cancer) exhibit their antitumor activities via diverse mechanisms. These mechanisms include blocking receptor signaling, interfering with ligand-receptor binding, triggering apoptosis, and inducing cytotoxic effects via ADCC or complement-mediated lysis (Baselga et al., (2001) Semin Oncol. 5 Suppl 16:4-11; Trauth et al. (1989) Science 245:301; Yang et al. (1999) Cancer Res. 59:1236). In this case, several in vitro experiments can be used to investigate the anti-tumor activity of Ab-1 to prostate cancer cells, with the intention to provide information for understanding drug's cellular mechanism in prostate cancer cells.

To provide evidence for understanding the cellular mechanism of antibody's action on tumor cells, three aspects of the 35 cellular function can be examined.

a. Effect of Antibody Ab-1 in Blocking FGF Signaling

Receptor Activation Assay—Dose Dependent Inhibition: The neutralizing activity of antibody on FGFR2 receptor activation in DU145 cells can be examined. DU145 is known 40 to express FGFR1, FGFR2IIIc (predominantly) and FGFR4 (Coombes et al., (2000) Book "Endocrine Oncology", Chapter 12, 237-253; Carstens et al., (1997) Oncogene 15, 3059-3065). FGFR2IIIc binds and responds to FGF8 and FGF2, whereas isoform IIIb receptor does not respond to those two 45 growth factors (Zhang et al., (2006) J Biol. Chem. 281: 15694-15700). Receptor activation can be analyzed as increased phosphorylation by Western blot analysis on cell lysate. In some cases, it is necessary to "pull down" the receptors from total cell lysate by immunoprecipitation with 50 the anti-receptor FGFR2IIIc. The resulting immunoprecipitates are analyzed on SDS-gel, followed by Western blotting using an anti-phosphotyrosine antibody.

To obtain a dose dependent inhibition curve for IC $_{50}$ value, DU145 cells are incubated with or without increasing concentrations of antibody before challenging with FGF8. The range of antibody concentration can be empirically determined, which is dictated by antibody affinity and receptor expression level on the particular cells. Antibody's inhibition curve can be established via quantification of phosphorylated for ecceptors (e.g., densitometry scan), thus an IC $_{50}$ value for antibody inhibition of receptor activation can be deduced through these analyses.

In addition, downstream signaling events can be examined by analyzing the signaling molecules or effectors of FGFR2, 65 e.g. Grb2, ERK1/2, p38 or STAT1. These additional readouts can be used to confirm the data. Together with receptor acti88

vation, phosphorylation analyses, these results provide information for the potential potency of the drug.

These data can demonstrate whether antibody Ab-1 has neutralizing activity. Mechanistically, the antibody could compete with ligand binding to the receptor, or it could block receptor dimerization. Both can give the same readout as inhibition of receptor activation and signaling. The following experiments are designed to answer those questions.

b. Effect of Blocking Ligand Binding or Receptor Dimeriza-

Previously reported FGFR2 crystal structure analysis (Olsen et al., (2006) *Genes & Dev.* 20: 185-198) indicated that the C'-terminal half of the loop-3, which is encoded by the alternative exon 8, is involved in ligand binding specificity of the receptor. Loop-3 in IIIc isoform binds to FGF8, whereas loop-3 of IIIb binds to FGF7. However, it has also been reported that loop-2 of the receptor may also contribute to ligand binding. Therefore, it is necessary to obtain direct evidence through the experiments to demonstrate whether Ab-1, by binding to its epitope in C'-terminal half of the loop-3, can completely block ligand FGF8 binding to its receptor FGFR2IIIc. The assay for antibody inhibition of ligand binding can be performed as below.

Separately, another effect—whether antibody binding to receptor can interfere with receptor dimerization, a prerequisite step for receptor activation and signaling, can be tested. Together, these molecular interaction analyses can provide a detailed understanding of the molecular mechanism of antibody's mode-of-action.

Ligand Binding Assay:

To assess antibody inhibition on ligand binding, transfected HEK293 cells expressing the receptor FGFR2-IIIc can be used in a 96-well plate assay. Non-radioactive and sensitive luminescence assays to measure ligand binding to its receptor were developed. This assay format involves using a recombinant FGF8 infused with secreted alkaline phosphatase, FGF8-SEAP (as described above). This assay format allows instant enzymatic readout for ligand-receptor binding event via a robust luminescent signal. FGF8-SEAP can be used in the 20 µM to 5 nM concentration range according to previously reported ligand binding conditions (Zhang et al., (2006) J Biol. Chem. 281: 15694-15700). Heparin is added at a concentration of 10 μg/ml to facilitate FGF8 binding to the receptor. The receptor bound ligand can be directly quantified by adding chemiluminescence substrate of SEAP (CDP-Star® from Applied Biosystems, or PhosphaGLOTM from KPL), and measured in a microplate reader (Luminoskan, Thermo Scientific).

The IC $_{50}$ value can be obtained from a competition experiment, in which antibody Ab-1 is pre-incubated with cells at a concentration range from 1 μ M to 100 nM. Subsequently, ligand SEAP-FGF8 is added to the cell culture. Dose dependent reduction of SEAP signal means that antibody competes with ligand binding site on the receptor.

Statistics

Binding curves can be analyzed by fitting sigmoid curves with variable slope using nonlinear regression. Group data are reported as mean+/-SD or SEM.

Receptor Dimerization Assay:

It is known that FGFs bind to their receptors to induce receptor dimerization. This can be demonstrated using chemical cross-linking reagent, such as cross-linker SDP (succinimidylpropionate). Monomer and dimer receptors are distinguished based on apparent molecular weights on a non-reducing SDS-gel, followed by Western blotting. Receptor

from un-treated cells should exist as a monomer (92 Kda). FGF8 treated cells should display predominantly dimmers (~180 Kda).

To examine whether antibody Ab-1 can block receptor dimerization, transfected cells expressing FGFR2IIIc (in 6-well culture plate) are pre-incubated with antibody at 0, EC₅₀, and saturation concentrations. An irrelevant antibody can be used as a negative control. After antibody pre-incubation, FGF8 is added to the cells to induce receptor dimerization. Chemical cross-linker DSP is then added to the cells for an additional incubation of 10 to 15 minutes at room temperature. Finally, cell lysate is prepared and analyzed on Western blot with an anti-receptor antibody. The blot reveals primarily receptor monomers in un-stimulated cells, and increased dimers in FGF8 stimulated cells (in the absence of Ab-1 treatment). Pre-incubation with negative control antibody does not reduce the amount of dimer in FGF8 stimulated sample. Ab-1 treated cells are compared with cells treat with negative control antibody for any reduction of dimers after 20 FGF8 induction. This data provide evidence for whether Ab-1 antibody can block receptor dimer formation.

c. Effect of Ab-1 in Cell Proliferation and Apoptosis:

The anti-proliferative effect of antibody Ab-1 can be evaluated. In addition, the pro-apoptosis effect of antibody Ab-1 on 25 are collected: tumor cells can also be analyzed. 25 weighed, and 25 are collected: 1. Tumor w

Proliferation Assay:

Several cell lines from prostate cancer, including PC-3, DU145 and LNCaP, can be analyzed in 96-well plates using MTT assay as previously described (Mosmann et al., (1983) *J. Immunol. Methods*, 65:55-63). MTT provides a measure of mitochondrial dehydrogenase activity within the cell therefore offers an indication of cellular proliferation status.

Cells at exponential growth can be seeded at 2000-3000 cell density in the wells of 96-well plates. AB-1 at nM range is added to the wells with culture medium and incubated for 48 hours. MTT (1 mg/ml) is added to the cells for incubation of 2 hours at 37 C. Cells are lysed, and absorbance of the dye measured in micro-plate reader at 600 nm.

Assessment of Apoptosis:

The effect of antibody Ab-1 on induction of apoptosis in tumor cells can be examined using the lipophilic dye MC540 in combination of DNA-staining dye Hoechest 33342 as previously described procedures (Reid et al., (1996) *J Immunol Methods*, 192:43-54). MC540 detects early stage of apoptosis (i.e. conformational changes in the plasma membrane). Tumor cells are treated with antibody similarly as described above for proliferation assay. The membrane change is measured by incorporation of the dye MC540. To further assess biochemical alteration in apoptotic cells, Applicants examine the expression of the active form of caspase-7 by Western blotting. Anti-caspase-7 can be purchased from Cell Signaling Technology.

Example 5.4

In Vivo Study for Ab-1 Effect on Human Tumor Xenografts

In vivo efficacy for Ab-1 in hormone-independent tumor can be examined in nude mice with DU145 implants. Endpoints include tumor volume, weight, tumor vasculature and metastasis index. Additional readouts, e.g. survival time, 65 immunological responses, and toxicology can also be analyzed.

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d. Effect on Blocking Tumor Growth and/or Tumor Angiogenesis in Xenografts

Mice participating in experiments are checked every 2 days for signs of toxicity and discomfort including weight, level of activity, skin abnormalities, diarrhea, and general appearance.

A well-established subcutaneous (s.c.) tumor xenograft model using DU145 prostate cancer cells (Coombes et al., Book "Endocrine Oncology", Edited by Stephen P. Ethier. Chapter 12, 237-253) can be adapted. Briefly, 5×10^6 tumor cells are inoculated into 6-week-old nude mice and allowed tumor to grow to 1 cm³ (3-4 weeks for DU145). Tumor fragments of 100 mm³ volume are implanted into mice. Tumor growth is monitored every 3-days by external measurements with a caliper. Tumor-bearing mice are divided into 3 groups of 10 mice. Group-1 can be treated with Taxol® as positive control group. Group-2 can be treated with antibody Ab-1 at 10 mg/kg, 2 times a week, i.p. injection for 5 weeks. Group-3 can be treated with vehicle as a negative control group. Tumor growth is monitored by external measurement. Heparinized blood samples are drawn from the retro-orbital plexus for determination of plasma Ab-1 concentrations.

At the end of the experiments, tumors are excised, weighed, and fixed in formalin. The following endpoint data are collected:

- 1. Tumor wet weight (grams)
- Metastasis in secondary sites—lymph node, lung, pancreas, spleen, kidney, adrenal, diaphragm, bone and brain
- 3. Immunohistochemical staining analysis on fixed specimens for target FGFR2IIIc expression on tumor, FGFR2IIIc activation/phosphorylation, and accumulation of Ab-1 on tumors (using anti-human antibody staining by IHC method)
- Vascularity evaluation using anti-CD31 staining (Dako).
 Positive endothelial cells will be counted in five different fields

Statistical Analysis Tumor volume is calculated as $V=(L^2/1)/2$, where L and 1 represent the larger and the smaller tumor diameter. Endpoint measurement for tumor is wet weight in grams. Statistical comparisons are performed using ANOVA for analysis of significance between different values. Regression analysis for caliper volume and wet weight are performed. Group data are reported as mean+/–SD or SEM. P values<0.005 were considered significant.

Example 5.5

Alternative Strategies

a. Xenograft Studies:

For metastatic HRPC, complex mechanisms and multiple steps are involved in disease progression. Critical steps of the disease mechanisms involving FGFR2IIIc can be explored using Ab-1, and Ab-1's anti-tumor activity can be demonstrated in a well-established xenograft model. This study can be used to ascertain the activity of the monoclonal antibody in a tumor model. Additional studies may require using different tumor inoculation methods such as orthotopic inoculation or intracardiac injection, in order to dissect the major stages of tumor metastasis.

Besides DU145 xenograph, other CaP tumor lines, which have high expression of the targeted receptor, can also be used.

Alternatively, Dunning rat prostate cancer model and the AT-3 hormone-independent cell line can be used. This model system has been used extensively for studying the FGFR2

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isoform function/regulation and is considered relevant to human HRPC (Sebastian et al., (2006) PNAS 103:14116-14121; Muh et al., (2002) JBC 277:50143-50154; Carstens et al., (2000) MCB, 20:7388-7400). This approach can be evaluated to confirm that monoclonal antibodies, Ab-1 and Ab-2 (anti-FGFR2IIIc and anti-FGFR2 IIIb, respectively) crossreact with rat receptors. The amino acid sequences in the alternatively spliced regions of both IIIc (Human: amino acids 301-353 of SEQ ID NO: 2; Rat: SEQ ID NO: 67) and IIIb (Human: amino acids 301-351 of SEQ ID NO: 65; Rat: SEQ ID NO: 68) are completely conserved between human and rat (FIG. 14).

b. In Vitro Study

Besides DU145 cells, transfected cells with low endogenous FGFR2IIIc expression can be used in the in vitro study.

Example 5.6

Other Experiments

Other experiments include testing the immunological effects of the Ab-1 from ex vivo studies and measure T-cell mediated cytotoxicity in monoclonal antibody treated tumor cells. In addition, dual targeted strategy using antibody and 25 FGFR selective tyrosine kinase inhibitors (TKIs) in combination, e.g. R04383596 or Pazopanib (as illustrated in FIG. 15), can be analyzed. Particularly, Ab-1 effects on TKI drug resistant tumor cells are investigated. This dual targeted strategy has shown in EGFR-targeted cancers enhanced anti-tu- 30 mor activity (Huang et al., (2004) Cancer Res. 64: 5355-5362).

Example 6

FGFR2-IIIc as a Potential Biomarker for Circulating Tumor Cells in Prostate Cancer

This example examines the presence of FGFR2 IIIc receptors on cell lines resembling hormone refractory prostate cancer in peripheral blood cells from patients via testing positive for CTC by the conventional, approved histopathology methods. Additional verification of the tumor nature of cells positive for FGFR2 IIIc expression can be done by PCR 45 methods using isoform specific primer sets. The outcome of this study is to recognize a subgroup of patients, whose tumor and metastasis is dependent on the expression of FGFR2 isoform IIIc, and an additional enhancement of the specificity of the existing and approved CTC test using Ep-CAM.

Specifically, this example evaluates the feasibility to detect and enrich CTCs (or epithelial-to-mesenchymal (ETM) transformed prostate tumor cells) expressing the oncogenic receptor FGFR2 isoform IIIc (FGFR2 IIIc) with an isoform specific antibody. The initial focus is the identification and 55 ii) Immunochemical: e.g. antibody-coupled magnetic beads; detection of circulating cells bearing FGFR2 IIIc from peripheral blood from patients with known metastatic diseases. Once the positive detection and specificity data are established, the technical optimization can be pursued on sensitivity of the detection in a healthy control group, patients 60 with benign prostate hyperplasia, and prostate cancer patients. The following are the specific aims for this example:

- 1) Investigate the presence of FGFR2 IIIc positive CTCs from peripheral blood and confirm these cells as cancer
- 2) Enrich and isolate FGFR2 IIIc positive CTCs by immunomagnetic purification.

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3) Confirm the existence of CTC-bearing FGFR2-IIIc receptor by RT-PCR analysis using exon-specific PCR primers.

This example is a feasibility study for the utility of FGFR2 IIIc as a valid biomarker for identification of prostate cancer CTCs for diagnosing metastatic disease and malignancy in asymptomatic prostate cancer patients. Further study focuses

- a. Optimize the detection method by quantitative recovery of spiked-in prostate tumor cells (FGFR2-IIIc positive, such as DU145, PC3) in peripheral blood samples.
- b. Enumerate FGFR2IIIc positive cells in peripheral blood from patients before and after prostatectomy, before and after TURP (transurethral prostate resection) for benign
- c. Collect large data sets from asymptomatic and symptomatic hormone-refractory prostate cancer patients to determine the diagnostic and prognostic value of the

Example 6.1

Significance of the Test for Detection of Circulating Tumor Cells

Metastatic tumor cells spread through the blood or lymph as "circulating tumor cells" (CTCs), and bone marrow as "disseminated tumor cells" (DTCs). CTCs and DTCs represent unique diagnostic and therapeutic targets. Circulating tumor cells are extremely rare in patients with nonmalignant diseases but are present in various metastatic carcinomas with a wide range of frequencies (Allard et al. (2004) Clin Cancer Res. 10:6897-6904). Some clinical studies indicate the assessment of CTCs can assist physicians in monitoring and 35 predicting cancer progression and in evaluating response to therapy in patients with metastatic cancer (Berrepoot et al., (2004) Ann Oncol. 15:139-145; Aquino et al., (2002) J. Chemother. 14:412-416; Katoh et al., (2004) Anticancer Res. 24:1421-1425). Recent studies on relationship between posttreatment CTC count and overall survival (OS) in castrationresistant prostate cancer (CRPC) indicated that CTC counts predicted OS better than PSA decrement algorithms at all time points (de Bono et al., (2008) Clin Cancer Res. 4(19): 6302-9).

Current CTC detection methods based on epithelial markers, e.g. Ep-CAM may miss FGFR2-IIIc positive circulating tumor cells, because FGFR2 IIIc expression on prostate cancer cells is associated with loss of epithelial markers and gain of mesenchymal markers (Moffa and Ethier (2007) J Cell 50 Physiol. 210(3):720-31).

Several frequently used methodologies for detecting CTCs used either alone or in combination can be categorized as-

- i) Molecular biological: e.g. RT-PCR (reverse-transcription PCR)
- immunofluorescent microscopy; flow cytometry (FACS)

RT-PCR offers a highly sensitive method to detect genes. However, PCR detects living cells, dead cells, and free DNA, resulting in potential false-positives. The specificity of the amplified target genes is a limiting factor for its diagnostic or prognostic value.

Tumor cells bearing an oncogenic receptor FGFR2 IIIc isoform found on androgen-independent tumors are believed to be responsible for invasive tumor growth and metastasis by intra-organ spread and by dissemination via blood stream, respectively. The identification of prostate-derived circulat-

ing tumor cells (CTCs) by a FGFR2 IIIc specific antibody is an alternative step in the diagnosis and staging of prostate cancer. The continued presence of these cells in the circulation after prostatectomy may indicate the development of metastatic disease. Therefore, CTC detection shown in this example can provide additional sensitivity and specificity for diagnosing metastasis in HPCR patients.

Example 6.2

CTC Enumeration for Overall Survival Prediction in Prostate Cancer

It has been known that CTC enumeration at baseline and over time by immunomagnetic capture more reliably predicts unfavorable outcome measured as overall survival than PSA levels and changes (de Bono et al., (2008) *Clin Cancer Res.* 14(19):6302-9; Danila et al., (2007) *Clin Cancer Res.* 13(23): 7053-8). The detection of FGFR2 IIIc as a potential biomarker for CTCs in prostate cancer adds an additional level of 20 understanding to the molecular mechanisms of prostate cancer and metastatic disease. In addition, this assay can provide a specific test for currently unrecognized HRPC subpopulation.

Example 6.3

Immunomagnetic Purification of DU145 Tumor Cells Spiked in Normal Blood

To purify DU145 tumor cells spiked in normal blood, the following protocol can be used.

- a. Prepare immunomagnetic beads: monoclonal antibody against FGFR2 IIIc (in 0.1 mg/ml in PBS containing 1% BSA) is immobilized onto magnetic beads pre-coupled with goat anti-mouse Fc (from Becton Dickinson) by an overnight incubation at 4° C.
- b. Tumor cell spiking experiment: PC12 (FGFR2 IIIc negative), DU145 (FGFR2-IIIc positive) tumor cells are preload with fluorescent dye calcein AM for viable cells (from Molecular Probes, Eugene, Oreg.) by a 5-minute incubation at 37° C. Labeled cells are spiked in 7.5 ml normal blood cells at the following ratios: 1000 cells, 500 cells, 100 cells, 50 cells, 10 cells. These labeled cells are exposed to immunomagnetic beads, recovered fluorescent cells can be counted under a fluorescent microscope using a 20× magnification or by flow cytometry FACS analysis. A constant recovery rate is the demonstration of good efficiency of immunomagnetic selection of FGFR2-IIIc positive cells.

Example 6.4

Detection and Enrichment of CTCs from Patients with Prostate Cancer

This follows published procedure and the instrumentation by Veridex (de Bono et al., (2008) *Clin Cancer Res.* 14(19): 6302-9). Blood samples from patients can be used to detect CTCs bearing FGFR2-IIIc by previously reported procedure 60 (Berrepoot et al., (2004) *Ann Oncol.* 15:139-145; Aquino et al., (2002) *J. Chemother.* 14:412-416; Katoh et al. (2004) *Anticancer Res.* 24:1421-1425; Allard et al. (2004) *Clin Cancer Res.* 10:6897-6904; de Bono et al., (2008) *Clin Cancer Res.* 14(19):6302-9). Essentially, blood samples are drawn 65 into 10-ml EDTA Vacutainer tubes (Becton Dickinson) to which a cell preservative was added (Berrepoot et al., (2004)

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Ann Oncol. 15:139-145; Aquino et al., (2002) J. Chemother. 14:412-416; Katoh et al. (2004) Anticancer Res. 24:1421-1425; Allard et al. (2004) Clin Cancer Res. 10:6897-6904; de Bono et al., (2008) Clin Cancer Res. 14(19):6302-9). Samples are maintained at room temperature and processed within 72 hours after collection. Cells are allowed to incubate with anti-FGFR2-IIIc loaded magnetic beads. Fluorescent nucleic acid dye DAPI (4,2-diamidino-2-phenylindole dihydrochloride) is used to stain nucleated cells. The identification and enumeration of FGFR2-IIIc positive CTCs can be performed with the use of the CellSpotter Analyzer, a semiautomated fluorescence-based microscopy system that permits computer-generated reconstruction of cellular images. Circulating tumor cells are counted as nucleated cells expressing FGFR2-IIIc. To confirm the epithelial cell nature of the isolated CTCs, cells can be double stained with an epithelial cell marker cytokeratin19, labeled with another fluorescent dye phycoerytherin (PE).

Example 6.5

RT-PCR of FGFR2-IIIc isoform

To demonstrate the specificity of the immunomagnetic selection for FGFR2 IIIc positive CTCs, RT-PCR experiment can be performed to confirm the isoform FGFR2-IIIc expression in isolated cells. RNA can be isolated using RNeasy Mini Kit, including RNase-Free DNase Set (Qiagen, Hilden, Germany). For reverse transcription, RNA is diluted in 15 µl of RNase-free water, incubated for 5 min at 65° C., and placed on ice. A 7.5 μl mixture containing 2 μl of oligo-p(dT)15 primer (0.8 µg/µl), 2 µl of deoxynucleoside triphosphate (5 mM), 0.5 μl of RNAsin (40 units/μl), 1 μl of Omniscript Reverse Transcriptase (4.5 units/µl), and 2 µl of reverse transcriptase buffer (×10) are prepared and added to the diluted RNA. After incubation at 37° C. for 1 h, Omniscript Reverse Transcriptase is inactivated for 5 min at 95° C., and cDNA can be stored at -20° C. PCR amplification is performed using IIIc exon specific primers (IIIc-F: aggttctcaaggccgccggtgt (SEQ ID NO: 71) and IIIc-R: caaccatgcagagtgaaagga (SEQ ID NO: 72). IIIb exon specific primers (IIIb-F: ggttctcaagcactegggga (SEQ ID NO: 69) and IIIb-R: gccaggcagactggttggcc (SEQ ID NO: 70)) are used as reference. The design of isoform-specific primers for PCR analysis is shown in FIG. 16. Tumor cells, PC-3 (IIIb positive) and DU145 (IIIc positive) can be used as positive controls for the PCR experiments. The PCR product should be appear as a 140 base-pair band on agarose gel.

Example 6.6

Other Experiments

Other experiments include optimizing the test protocol and validate/enhance the clinical relevance of enumeration of CTCs in HRPC patient's clinical outcomes. Biostatistical methods are used for data analysis and interrogation.

Example 7

FGFR2 III-c as a Biomarker for Detection of Hormone-Refractory Prostate Cancer

This example describes the establishment of an immunohistochemical staining (IHC) test for the detection of invasive, hormone-resistant prostate cancer. As disclosed, FGFR2

isoform IIIc, is associated with androgen-independent tumor growth and metastasis, and it is expressed on the surface of cancerous prostate tissue.

Several biomarkers have been developed as immunohistochemical (IHC) staining tests for prostate cancer. These include prostate-specific antigen (PSA), prostate-specific membrane antigen (PSMA), prostate stem cell antigen (PSCA), androgen receptor (AR), chromogranin, synaptophysin, MIB-1, and α -methylacyl-CoA racemase (AMACR). These markers are not specific for metastatic status or metastatic potential. An examination of FGFR2 isoform IIIc and IIIb expression in the biopsies and surgical specimens should provide additional information for patient with hormone refractory disease and a potential for metastasis.

Prostate cancer cell lines DU145 and LNCaP, were originally obtained from the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC). These cell cultures are maintained using standard

Prostate cancer with matched normal prostate tissue 20 Arrays, and human tissue arrays can be obtained from US Biomax (Rockville, Md. 20849); Multi-Tumor Microarrays will be obtained from Invitrogen (CA). These tissues should be in compliant with FDA and regulatory requirements. Patients' clinical data, e.g. Gleason score and pathological 25 3, Place all sections in endogenous blocking solution (methastage of disease are available. Patient's private information is protected.

IHC tests can be used for surgical samples from radical prostatectomy, or needle biopsies (NBX) and transurethral resections of the prostate (TURP).

Objectives of this example include (i) establishing the IHC test protocol by using tumor cell lines fixed in paraffin as cell pellets; (ii) evaluating the utility of this IHC diagnostic test using tissue specimens from patients with prostate cancer and 35 patients with benign prostate hypertrophy.

The following experiments can be conducted:

- i. Investigate the differential expression of the two functionally distinct isoform receptors of FGFR2 in prostate tumor cell lines, DU145 (IIIc positive) and LNCaP (IIIb 40 positive). Demonstrate the specificities and sensitivity of mAbs to each isoform for IHC application. Establish the IHC protocol.
- ii. Stain 30-organ tissue arrays to survey the distinct tissue distribution of IIIb and IIIc using Tissue Arrays from US 45 Biomax (Rockville, Md. 20849)
- iii. Examine about 20 cases of each, prostate carcinomas, benign prostate hyperplasias (BPHs), to distinguish between neoplastic and noncancerous tissues (Tumor arrays from Invitrogen, CA)
- iv. Analyze IHC staining and define the grading and staining patterns; e.g. positive, negative scoring, and FGFR2-IIIc expression patterns in tumor tissues/cells (work with a pathologist expert)
- v. Explore the clinical relevance of biomarker expression 55 with disease severity and evaluate the benefit of using targeted antibody drug for blocking metastatic disease.

This biomarker can also be used in combination with other IHC tissue markers in a multi-biomarker analysis.

Example 7.1

IHC Staining Protocol

A general staining protocol for mAbs against FGFR2 65 receptor is described below. Experimental conditions can be optimized for each mAbs of anti-FGFR IIIc or IIIb.

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Immunohistochemistry with Paraffin-Embedded Tissue Sec-

Antibodies: Monoclonal anti-FGFR2 IIIc and anti-FGFR2 IIIb antibodies are generated as described above. A monoclonal anti-Cytokeratin (Pan) Clone AE1/AE3 antibody is from Zymed (San Francisco, Calif.) and a polyclonal anti-PSA antibody is from Dako Cytomation. Secondary antibody coupled with peroxidase, ChemMate™, DAKO Envision™ Detection Kit are from Dako Cytomation (Denmark).

Diaminobenzidine (DAB) can be used as chromogen followed by Meyer's hematoxylin counterstaining.

I. Preparation of Slides

Cell pellets are created from DU145 and LNCaP cells, fixed in 10% formalin overnight, and then processed in the regular manner for pathology specimens to produce paraffin embedded cell blocks. Tissue slides are already prepared from paraffin-blocks by commercial vendors.

II. Deparaffinization

- 1, Label all slides clearly with a pencil, noting antibody and dilution.
- 2. Deparaffinize and rehydrate as follows: Three times for 5 minutes in xylene; two times for 5 minutes in 100% ethanol; two times for 5 minutes in 95% ethanol; and once for 5 minutes in 80% ethanol,
- nol+2% hydrogen peroxide) for 20 minutes at room tem-
 - 4. Rinse sections twice for 5 minutes each in deionized water.
- 5. Rinse sections twice for 5 minutes in phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH7.4.

III. Blocking and Staining

- 1, Block all sections with PBS/1% bovine serum albumin (PBA) for 1 hour at room temperature.
- 2. Incubate sections in rabbit serum diluted in PBA (2%) for 30 minutes at room temperature to reduce non-specific binding of antibody. Perform the incubation in a sealed humidity chamber to prevent air-drying of the tissue sections.
- 3. Gently shake off excess antibody and cover sections with mAb diluted in PBA. Replace the lid of the humidity chamber and incubate either at room temperature for 1 hour or overnight at 4° C.
- 4, Rinse sections twice for 5 minutes in PBS, shaking gently,
- Gently remove excess PBS and cover sections with diluted HRP conjugated rabbit anti-mouse antibody in PBA for 30 minutes to 1 hour at room temperature in the humidity chamber.
- 6. Rinse sections twice for 5 minutes in PBS, shaking gently. Scoring IHC Staining:

Stained slides can be evaluated by experienced urological pathologists (consultants). A scoring method will be developed based on a varying degree of staining intensity and percentage of cells staining. The evaluation will be done in a blinded fashion.

Statistical Analysis:

Univariate associations between FGFR2 expression and Gleason score, clinical stage and progression to androgenindependence can be calculated using Fisher's Exact Test. For all analyses, p<0.05 was considered statistically significant.

Example 7.3

Other Experiments

Other experiments include the utility of this assay in the selection and characterization of patients in the clinical development of AB-1 as a therapeutic agent in prostate cancer. Retrospective analysis of larger data sets from patients and

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correlation analyses on biomarker expression profile with disease severity and clinico-pathological parameters are also conducted.

Example 8

Generation of FGFR2 IIIc Specific Monoclonal Antibodies

Balb/c mice were immunized either with the DNA construct encoding a 40-amino acid FGFR2 IIIc fragment (SEQ ID NO: 84; amino acid residues 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc) or with a synthetic FGFR2 IIIc-specific peptide (TCLAGNSIG-ISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86)), purified and conjugated to KLH.

In the first approach, a 40-amino acid fragment (amino acid residues 313-352 of FGFR2 IIIc; <u>AAGVNTTDKEIEVL YIRNVTFEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH</u>(SEQ ID NO: 84)) fused at its carboxyl-terminus to mouse IgG1 Fc was used as the immunogen. Capital and underlined letters indicate unique residues in isoform FGFR2 IIIc that are non-homologous with isoform FGFR2 IIIb. Nucleotide sequence encoding the 40-amino acid FGFR2 IIIc fragment (SEQ ID NO: 84; amino acid residues 313-352) was inserted into a modified vector pVAC from Invivogen, San Diego Calif. that results in membrane-bound surface expression of the 40-amino acid fragment of the extracellular (EC) domain of FGFR2-IIIc The modified pVAC-40-amino acid vector was used for DNA

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Antisense Primer (including EcoR I site):

(SEQ ID NO: 106)

GCGGAATTC GTGAAAGGATATCCC

In the second approach, epitope peptide from amino acid residues 337-352 (<u>TCLAGNSIGISFH</u>; SEQ ID NO: 86)) of FGFR2 IIIc, conjugated with KLH, was used as the immunogen. Capital and underlined letters indicate unique residues in isoform FGFR2 IIIc that are non-homologous with isoform FGFR2 IIIb.

Immunized mice with high titers in their antisera were used for isolation of splenocytes. Splenocytes were fused with the myeloma cell line SP20/Ag-14 (ATCC number CRL-1581) for the production of hybridoma cells according to the established protocols (Georges Kohler and Cesar Milstein 1975). SP20/Ag-14 cells were maintained in Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium, and 10% fetal bovine serum. Positive hybridoma populations in the culture were first screened for positive binding to the FGFR2 IIIc-epitope peptide (TCLA-GNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO: 86)) conjugated to a carrier protein BSA in a standard ELISA. Positive clones were further tested for binding to recombinant receptor protein FGFR2 IIIc-Fc as described below in Example 9.

In the ELISA, antisera were diluted from 1:1000 to 1:27000 as shown in Table 2. The binding to antigen coated on plate was detected by using a goat-anti-mouse IgG conjugated with HRP. Table 2 shows the detected signal of O.D. values.

TABLE 2

	ELISA test for antiserum titer from epitope peptide immunized mice													
Mouse #	Antigen for ELISA	1:1000	1:3000	1:9000	1:18000	1:27000	Pre-immune 1:1000							
1	BSA-peptide	1.828	1.295	0.815	0.624	0.261	0.181							
2	BSA-peptide	1.909	1.241	0.806	0.52	0.325	0.121							
3	BSA-peptide	1.928	1.320	0.808	0.337	0.223	0.078							
4	BSA-peptide	1.568	0.964	0.476	0.136	0.078	0.079							
1	FGFR2 IIIc-Fc	1.929	0.847	0.495	0.260	0.183	0.128							
2	FGFR2 IIIc-Fc	1.941	0.940	0.38	0.172	0.104	0.105							
3	FGFR2 IIIc-Fc	1.807	0.904	0.35	0.219	0.142	0.084							
4	FGFR2 IIIc-Fc	1.858	1.028	0.396	0.134	0.088	0.086							

immunization. It was expressed as a membrane-anchored protein. mFc-40 amino acid was used as a protein antigen. It was purified as a secreted protein from conditioned media from transfected CHO cells.

The following PCR primers were designed for cloning the coding region of the nucleotide sequence from position 1242 to 1361 (nt) of FGFR2 IIIc:

Sense Primer (including BamH I site): ATAGGATCCT-TGCCGCCGGTGTTAAC (SEQ ID NO: 103)

Antisense Primer (including EcoR I site): GCGGAAT-TCGTGAAAGGATATCCC (SEQ ID NO: 104)

To generate FGFR2 IIIc (40 aa)-mFc, a nucleotide 55 sequence encoding the 40-amino acid fragment of FGFR2 IIIc extracellular (EC) domain (amino acid residues 314-353) was fused in-frame with mouse IgG1-Fc. The following PCR primers were designed to PCR the 120 bp fragment encoding the 40-amino acid. Each oligo primer sequence contains a 60 restriction enzyme site and a 3-base overhang.

PCR primers:
Sense Primer (including BamH I site):
(SEQ ID NO: 105)
ATAGGATCCTT GCCGCCGGTGTTAAC

Single hybridoma clones were obtained by limited dilution in 96-well culture plates. A single clone was observed by visual inspection under the microscope. This process was repeated for a second round until single clones were obtained.

The isotypes of individual monoclonal antibodies were determined using a mouse antibody isotyping kit according to manufactures instructions (Sigma-Aldrich, Catalog number ISO-2).

Synthetic peptides and conjugation to KLH or BSA were obtained from GenScript Corporation, Piscataway, N.J. PCR primers and sequencing primers were obtained from Sigma-Genosys, Sigma-Aldrich, St Louis, Mo. Secondary antibodies conjugated to either horseradish peroxidase (HRP) or alkaline phosphatase (AP) were purchased from Santa Cruz Biotechnology Inc., Santa Cruz, Calif., or Sigma-Aldrich, St Louis. Mo.

Conclusion:

Mice immunized with epitope-specific peptide generated immune response to the isoform receptor with high titer (at 18,000-fold of dilution) and antibodies generated from an epitope peptide antigen recognized native receptor FGFR2 IIIc.

Example 9

Screening for Monoclonal Antibodies that Selectively Bind to FGFR2 IIIc

Hybridoma screening assays were carried out to select mAbs that bound to FGFR2 IIIc with selectivity, and to eliminate clones that cross-react with isoform FGFR2 IIIb. The primary screening was carried out by ELISA analysis using FGFR2 IIIc-Fc to select hybridomas that could bind to the FGFR2 IIIc isoform. In a secondary ELISA screen, FGFR2 IIIb-Fc was used to identify and eliminate antibodies cross-reacting with the IIIb isoform. Human IgG1 was used as a negative control to eliminate any antibodies cross-reacting with the Fc portion of human IgG.

The ELISA protocol is described as follows. Polystyrene microplates (Maxisorb/NUNC, Roskilde, Denmark) were coated with protein antigens at 2 μ g/ml in 0.05 M bicarbonate buffer (pH 9.6) overnight at 4° C. After washing with phosphate-buffered saline containing 0.05% Tween 20, plates were blocked with 1% bovine serum albumin at room temperature for 2 h. Hybridoma secreted conditioned media were added 100 μ l per well, and incubated for 1 h at 37° C. Following washing the wells, bound antibodies were detected by using horseradish peroxidase-conjugated goat anti-mouse antibody (Santa Cruz Biotechnology, USA).

In another ELISA based binding assay, monoclonal antibodies were captured on ELISA plates, which were precoated with goat anti-mouse IgG at 5 µg/ml. Following washing and blocking steps, FGFR2 IIIc (128 amino acids)-AP and a unrelated control protein in the same fusion with alkaline phosphatase (human PRL3-AP) were added to the plates and incubated for 1 hour at 37° C. Following washing the wells, bound antigens were detected by adding substrate for alkaline phosphatase, pNPP (Sigma-Aldrich).

FGFR2 IIIc (128 amino acids)-AP was generated by inframe fusion of alkaline phosphatase to the carboxyl-terminal domain of a 128 amino acid FGFR2 IIIc fragment (SEQ ID NO: 107; amino acid residues 250-377 of FGFR2 IIIc) and was expressed from DNA construct pATTO-FGFR2 IIIc (128 aa)-AP. The template cDNA clone was ordered from Open Biosystems (BC039243; Protein ID: AAH39243).

The amino acid sequence for the cloned fragment containing the coding sequence of the third Ig-like loop of FGFR2 IIIc is as follows: (the 2 resides "R" and "T" were created by cloning site on the vector):

RTERSPHRPI LQAGLPANAS TVVGGDVEFV CKVYSDAQPH

IQWIKHVEKN GSKYGPDGLP YLKVLKAAGV NTTDKEIEVL

YIRNVTFEDA GEYTCLAGNS IGISFHSAWL TVLPAPGREK

EITASPDYLE

The following PCR primers were designed for cloning the nucleotide sequence encoding the 128-amino acid FGFR2 IIIc fragment:

Sense Primer:

GAGCGATCGCCTCACCGGCC

Antisense Primer:

(SEQ ID NO: 108)

65

CTCCAGGTAGTCTGGGGAAGCT

60

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In yet another ELISA-based binding assay, FGFR2IIIc-Fc' and FGFR2IIIb-Fc' (purchased from R&D Systems, Inc. Minneapolis, Minn.; Catalog numbers: 665-FR and 684-FR) were used for coating ELISA plates at 2 mg/ml (4° C. incubation over night). Monoclonal antibodies in the hybridomaconditioned media (100 ml) were allowed to bind to coated proteins by incubation at room temperature for 1 hour. Binding was detected using HRP conjugated secondary antibody (goat anti-mouse-HRP), followed by adding substrate tetramethylbenzidine (TMB). O.D. values at 450 nm were measured. Among 25 clones that were screened, four clones were selected based on selective binding to the FGFR2 IIIc isoform. Clones-4, 9, 16 and 21 exhibited strong selective binding to FGFR2 IIIc, with either background level of binding, or very weak binding to the FGFR2 IIIb isoform. Monoclonal antibodies from hybridoma clone-9 and -21 have been tested for isotypes, and both antibodies are murine IgG2b. These two monoclonal antibodies have been designated as Atto-MuMab-01 and Atto-MuMab-02, respectively.

Example 10

Western Blot Analysis of Antibody Binding to FGFR2 IIIc

Western blot analysis was performed to detect specific antibody binding to soluble forms of FGFR2 fusion proteins (Fc-fusion proteins), FGFR2 IIIc-Fc or FGFR2 IIIb-Fc either as purified protein or as CHO cell secreted protein in the conditioned media. Proteins were subjected to electrophoresis on an 8% SDS-PAGE gel, and blotted onto a nitrocellulose membrane (Amersham Pharmacia Biotech, Uppsala, Sweden). Nonspecific binding was blocked with 5% nonfat milk in phosphate-buffered saline overnight at 4° C. The nitrocellulose membrane was incubated with mAb Atto-MuMab-01 for 1 hour at room temperature, followed by horseradish peroxidase-conjugated goat anti-mouse IgG for 1 hour at room temperature. After several washes, it was processed by adding the colorimetric substrate DAB (DAKO, Carpinteria, Calif., USA)

Positive controls of Fc-fusion proteins of FGFR2 IIIc' and FGFR2 IIIb' (IIIb' and IIIc') were purchased from R&D Systems, Inc. Minneapolis, Minn.; Catalog numbers: 665-FR and 684-FR). Fc-fusion protein of FGFR2 IIIb (IIIb) and FGFR2 IIIc (IIIc) were prepared as secreted protein from transfected CHO cells. FGFR2 IIIc-Fc was generated by in-frame fusion of human IgG1-Fc (227 amino acids) to the carboxyl terminus of the extracellular (EC) domain of FGFR2 IIIc (amino acid residues 1-262 of FGFR2 IIIc) as described in Example 3. The following PCR primers were designed for cloning the coding region of the nucleotide sequence from position 64 to 786 (nt) of FGFR2 IIIc:

FGFR2 IIIb-Fc was generated by in-frame fusion of human IgG1-Fc (SEQ ID NO: 110; 227 amino acids) to the carboxylterminus of the extracellular (EC) domain of FGFR2 IIIb SEQ ID NO: 114; amino acid residues 32-289 of FGFR2 IIIb (SEQ ID NO: 192)). The following PCR primers were

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designed for cloning of the coding region of the nucleotide sequence from position 94 to 867 (nt) of SEQ ID NO: 193:

Sense Primer (including EcoR I site): (SEQ ID NO: 115) AGAGAATTCGCGGCCCTCCTTCAGTTTAGT Antisense Primer (including Bgl II site): (SEQ ID NO: 116) GTGAGATCTCTCCAGGTAGTCTGGGGAAGC

The DNA template for PCR amplification of FGFR2 IIIb was purchased from Open Biosystems, Thermo Scientific, Huntsville Ala. (Catalog number IHS1380-8840381).

Example 11

Anti-FGFR2IIIc Antibody Binds to Endogenous Protein in Tumor Cells

This Example shows binding to anti-FGFR2IIIC antibodies of the invention to tumor cells, such as DU145 and Hep G2. Cell lysates were analyzed by immunoprecipitation (IP) followed by Western blotting.

DU 145, a human prostate cancer cell line, was obtained 25 has been designated herein as "Atto-Mu-Mab03." from ATCC (ATCC number HTB-81). It was originally derived from a human prostate adenocarcinoma metastatic to the brain. This cell line was propagated in Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium, and 10% fetal bovine serum.

HepG2, a liver cancer cell line, was analyzed by immuno- 30 precipitation (IP) followed by Western blotting.

For immunoprecipitation, cell lysate was prepared from a fresh culture of DU 145 cells or HepG2 cells as follows. Cells were harvested, centrifuged to pellet the cells and resuspended in lysis buffer containing 50 mM Tris (pH 7.5), 150 35 mM NaCl, 1% Triton-X100, 10 mM DTT, and protease inhibitor cocktails (PMSF, aprotinin, leupeptin, pepstatin). Cells were incubated in lysis buffer on ice for 15-minutes and then centrifuged at 10,000 g for 10 minutes at 4° C. The lysate supernatant was used for immunoprecipitation by incubation 40 with Atto-Mu mAb-01 or Atto-Mu mAb-B7 (also referred to herein as "Atto-mu Mab-03") over night at 4° C. Protein-A Sepharose was used to purify the immune complexes, which were then separated by SDS PAGE and analyzed by Western blot as described below.

For Western blot, samples were analyzed by SDS-PAGE on 8% polyacrylamide gels, and subsequently electroblotted onto a nitrocellulose membrane (Amersham Pharmacia Biotech, Uppsala, Sweden). Nonspecific binding was blocked with 5% nonfat milk in phosphate-buffered saline overnight 50 at 4° C. Then the nitrocellulose membrane was incubated with Atto-Mu mAb-01 or Atto-mu Mab-03 for 1 hour at room temperature, followed with incubation with horseradish peroxidase-conjugated goat anti-mouse IgG for 1 hour at room temperature. After washing, the blot was processed for 55 enhanced chemiluminescence (ECL) according to the kit instructions (Amersham Pharmacia Biotech). The result was documented on an X-ray film.

FIG. 32 depicts a Western blot showing the binding of mAb ATTO-mu Mab-03 to the endogenous FGFR2IIIc in the liver 60 carcinoma cell line, HepG2. Lane 1 and 2: cytosol and membrane fractions from a positive control stable CHO expressing FGFR2IIIc receptor. Lane 3 and 4: cytotosol and membrane fraction of HepG2. As shown in FIG. 32, a band of apparent molecular weight of 85 KDa was recognized by ATTO-Mu 65 mAb-B7. Thus, monoclonal antibody ATTO-Mu mAb-B7 binds endogenous FGFR2IIIc in tumor cells.

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As shown in FIG. 33, a band of apparent molecular weight of 110 KDa was recognized by mAb Atto-Mu mAb-01. The 50 KDa and 25 KDa bands are IgG heavy chain and light chain respectively, derived from mAb used in the IP.

Example 12

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody Clones Selectively Bind to IIIc Isoform of FGFR2

Immunized mice with serum titer above 16,000 were used for fusion with myeloma cells SP2/0 for production of hybridoma cells. After growth in HAT selection medium for 7 to 10 days, hybridoma cells were screened by ELISA using antigen-coated plates, e.g. 128aa-mFc or 40aa-mFc. Positive binders were further tested for isoform-selectivity against IIIc or IIIb soluble receptor protein, FGFR2IIIc beta-ECD and FGFR2IIIb beta-ECD. Binding of the monoclonal antibodies to the soluble receptor coated on the plates were measured by using goat anti-mouse IgG Fc-HRP. FIG. 24A is a bar graph depicting strong binding signal of the specified clones to FGFR2IIIc, whereas low or no binding activity was detected with these clones to the FGFR2IIIb isoform. In the graph, background signal was not subtracted (FIG. 24B). Clone B7

Example 13

Isolation of Human Antibody scFv by Screening Phage Display Library

Human phage display libraries containing approximately 1 to 10×10¹⁰ phage antibodies were prepared as previously described in Sblattero D. et al. (2000) Nature Biotechnology 18, 74-80. To screen the library for isoform specific antibodies, fusion proteins with fragments of FGFR2IIIc epitope inserts (described in Example 1.1) were used as baits in the bio-panning procedures. The fusion proteins were constructed in mouse IgG Fc fusion backbone, e.g. the FGFR2IIIc isoform loop-3 region containing 128-amino acid (amino acid 235-353) 120-amino acid (mFc), or 40-amino acid (aminoa acid 314-353) 40aa-mFc.

Phage antibody selection was performed by using fusion proteins coupled to immunotubes (Nunc, Rochester, N.Y.) at 4 microgram/ml overnight, blocked in 2% nonfat milk-phosphate buffered saline (MPBS) and incubated with the phage antibody library (also blocked in MPBS) for 1-2 h. Washing after the first cycle involved five PBS and five PBS-0.1% Tween-20 washes. Phage were eluted by the addition of 1 ml DHSaF at OD550 0.5. Following elution, bacteria were amplified and phage prepared for further cycles of selection. Subsequent washes were more stringent, and phage antibodies were tested for reactivity by ELISA after the forth cycle. FIG. 31 showed a summary table for each round of enrichment for phage that bound to the target protein.

To test the antibody binding specificity, phage ELISA was used to identify positive clones that can bind to the target protein, e.g., 128aa (mFc). Negative control proteins for nonspecific binding were checked by using two irrelevant proteins, human ovalbumin (OA) and human ferritin (Fer). Briefly, individual phage clones were picked after four rounds of bio-panning and screening, and tested in a phage-ELISA. FIG. 25A is a bar graph depicting a representative result from testing eight clones in a binding assay to FGFR2IIIc-128aa coated ELISA plates. Negative control proteins used human ovalbumin (OA) and Feritin (Fer) coated on the plates. These clones showed positive binding to FGFR2IIIc-128aa antigen

protein, and no detectable binding to irrelevant control proteins of human ovalbumin (OA) and human ferritin (Fer).

Phage ELISA assays were also performed on individual phage clones for binding specificity to the targeted isoform receptor FGFR2IIIc. The binding assay was performed using 5 ELISA format. Soluble receptor FGFR2IIIc beta-ECD was used at 2 microgram/ml for coating the ELISA plate. The counter isoform receptor fusion protein FGFR2IIIb beta-ECD was used at the same concentration for cross-reactivity test. Ovalbumin (OA) was used as a negative control. FIGS. 10 27A-27B show the results of binding of soluble scFv antibodies to FGFR2IIIc versus FGFR2IIIb. ELISA plates were coated with FGFR2IIIc-hFc (2 microgram per milliliter), or FGFR2IIIb-hFc (2 microgram per mililiter). Soluble antibodies prepared from scFv clones were allowed to bind to iso- 15 form receptors coated on the plates. Ovalbumin (OA) was used as a negative control. Out of 30 induced clones, 8 clones exhibited activity by ELISA binding assay against antigen FGFR2IIIc (128aa-mFc). These clones were tested for selectivity towards isoform FGFR2IIIc. Shown in FIG. 27A, five 20 in mice. out of eight clones showed selective binding to isoform IIIc. Three out of eight clones bind both isoform IIIc and IIIb.

To determine that the phage antibody clones are distinct clones with different coding sequences, clones were analyzed by DNA finger printing. From one round of library screening, 25 101 clones are analyzed by their patterns of DNA finger prints. PCR amplification of the CDR region was performed for these clones. CL-6B micro-columns were used to separate the PCR products. DNA products were digested with restriction enzyme Mva1. DNA fragments shown in FIG. 26 idensified 30 individual clones with distinct DNA fingerprint patterns.

Sequencing analysis was carried out for these positive clones. The identity of the different V genes was analyzed by submitting the sequence to V BASE19, and by using online 35 informatics tools. FIG. **28** depicts an amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv Clone-6 and Clone-8. The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The linker sequence is shaded. Clone-6 and Clone-8 are also referred to herein as "Atto-HuMab-06" and "Atto-HuMab-08," respectively. The data indicated that they are distinct antibody clones with divergent coding sequences in the CDR domains.

FIGS. **29**A-**29**B depict the nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The linker sequence is shaded.

FIGS. 29C-29D depict the nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, of the light chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The CDR sequences are underlined.

FIGS. 29E-29F depict the nucleotide and amino acid 55 sequence, respectively, of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 8 (Atto-HuMab-08). The CDR sequences are underlined.

FIGS. **30**A-**30**B depict the nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, for the full length coding region of the 60 light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The linker sequence is shaded.

FIGS. 30C-30D depict the nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, of the light chain variable domain of 65 the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The CDR sequences are underlined.

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FIGS. **30**E-**30**F depict the nucleotide and amino acid sequence, respectively, of the heavy chain variable domain of the human scFv Clone 6 (Atto-HuMab-06). The CDR sequences are underlined.

Soluble scFv antibody expression was performed for preparation of soluble antibodies in the *E. coli* system. Soluble expression was detected for 30 independent clones identified by gene finger-print were prepared by infecting HB2151 strain with helper phage M13. Secreted soluble antibodies of scFv were produced after 0.5 mM IPTG induction. Antibodies were purified by chromatography using Nickel columns. These purified antibody samples were used for binding studies in tumor cells and tumor specimens by immunochemical, immunofluorescence, and immunohistochemical techniques. The blocking activities of these scFv antibodies can be performed by proliferation assays, ligand binding assays and cell-based receptor activation assays. The in vivo activity of the antibodies in blocking tumor growth, invasion and survival rate can be conducted in tumor xenograft models in mice.

Example 14

Cloning of the Heavy and Light Chain Variable Domains for Antibodies Atto-MuMab-01 and Atto-MuMab-02

Hybridoma cells (10⁵ cells) were used for RNA isolation using MagMAXTM-96 Total RNA Isolation Kit (Ambion). First strand cDNA was synthesized using SuperscriptTM III Reverse Transcriptase (Invitrogen). The following primers were used for cDNA synthesis:

(SEQ ID NO: 117)
CY2b: CGACTAGTCGACCAGGGATCCAGAGTTCCAAG

(SEQ ID NO: 118)
MKVL: GCGCCGTCTAGAATTAACACTCATTCCTGTTGAA

CDR coding sequences for heavy chain (VH) and light Chain (VL) were amplified by PCR method using the primers as follows:

PCR primers for VH: (SEO ID NO: 119) VHB1: SAGGTCCAGCTGCAGCAGYYTGG (SEO ID NO: 120) VHB2: GAGGTTCAGCTGCAGCAGTCTGK (SEQ ID NO: 121) VHF1: GAGGAAACGGTGACCGTGGT (SEQ ID NO: 122) VHF2: GAGGAGACTGTGAGAGTGGT (SEQ ID NO: 123) VHF3: GCAGAGACAGTGACCAGAGT (SEQ ID NO: 124) VHF4: GAGGAGACGGTGACTGAGGT PCR primers for VL: (SEQ ID NO: 125) VLB1: GATGYTKTKVTGACCCAAACTCC (SEO ID NO: 126) VLB2: GATATCCAGATGACACAGACTAC (SEQ ID NO: 127) VLB3: RACATTGTGCTGACMCAATCTCC

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(SEO ID NO: 128) VLB4: SAAAWTGTKCTCWCCCAGTCTCC (SEO ID NO: 129) VLB5: GAMATCMWGATGACCCARTCTCC (SEO ID NO: 130) VI.B6: RRCATTGTGATGACCCAGWCTCM (SEO ID NO: 131) VLB7: GATATTGTGATRACBCAGGYTGM (SEO ID NO: 132) RAMATTDTGWTGWCACAGTCTAY (SEQ ID NO: 133) GACATCCAGATGACWCARTCTYC (SEQ ID NO: 134) VLB10: GACATCCAGATGAMMCAGTCTCC (SEQ ID NO: 135) VLB11: GAYATYSTGMTRACRCAGTCTCC (SEO ID NO: 136) VLB12: GACATTGTGATGACTCAGTCTCC (SEO ID NO: 137) VLB13: GAAACAACTGTGACCCAGTCTCC (SEQ ID NO: 138) 30 VLF1: ACGTTTGATTTCCAGCTTGG (SEQ ID NO: 139) VLF2: ACGTTTTATTTCCAGCTTGG (SEO ID NO: 140) VLF3: ACGTTTTATTTCCAACTTTG (SEO ID NO: 141)

The PCR program was as follows: 5 minute denaturation at 94° C., followed by 7 cycles of 1 minute at 94° C., 30 s at 63° C., 50 seconds at 58° C., 1 minute at 72° C., and 23 cycles of 1 minute at 94° C., 30 seconds at 63° C., 1 minute at 72° C., finally 5 minute at 72° C.

VLF4: ACGTTTCAGCTCCAGCTTGG

PCR amplified DNA fragments were cloned into pUCm-T vector (Biomatik USA, L LC, Wilmington, Del., USA).

The nucleotide sequences of Atto-MuMab-02 heavy (SEQ ID NO: 87) and light (SEQ ID NO: 89) chain variable regions 50 are shown in FIGS. 34A and 34B, respectively. The amino acid sequences of Atto-MuMab-02 heavy (SEQ ID NO: 88) and light (SEQ ID NO: 90) chain variable regions are shown in FIG. 35. As shown in FIGS. 36A and 36B, amino acid sequence alignment of Atto-MuMab-02 immunoglobulin heavy (SEQ ID NO: 88) or light (SEQ ID NO: 90) chain variable region with mouse immunoglobulin gene database reveals 91% homology between the Atto-MuMab-02 heavy chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 88) and mouse immunoglobulin mu chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 142; GeneBank: AAA88255.1) and 92% homology between the light chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 90) and anti-human melanoma immunoglobulin light chain variable region (SEQ ID NO: 143; GenBank: AAO49727.1), respectively, indicat- 65 ing both the heavy and light chain sequences from Atto-MuMab-02 are novel sequences.

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Example 15

Cloning and Analysis of Human Antibody ATTO-HuMAb-01 That Selectively Binds to IIIc Isoform of FGFR2

Human antibody ATTO-HuMAb-01 that selectively binds to the IIIc isoform of FGFR2 is derived from the original human scFv clone 1 (scFv-1). For example, several single-chain human antibody clones were described in Example 13, such as scFv-1, scFv-2, scFv-6, and scFv-8. In particular, scFv-1 was described, e.g., in FIGS. 25A-25B, 26, and 27A-27B. Analysis of sequence alignments among the scFv antibody clones as described in this Example showed high homologies in the light chain and heavy chain VL-CDR or VH-CDR regions. Further studies showed that scFv-1 had similar or better binding properties (e.g., binding to the target receptor as soluble molecule, and to the target receptor expressed on the cell surface) and more stable expression and structural features, than scFv-2, scFv-6, and scFv-8.

As shown in this Example, scFv-1 clone has been constructed and tested in the following antibody forms: phage-displayed scFv fragment, designated herein as "scFv-1 (phage)"; *E. coli* expressed secreted form, as purified scFv soluble antibody, designated herein as "scFv-1 (sol)"; double-chain construct as human IgG1 Fc-fusion, designated herein as "dcFv-01"; and whole human IgG molecule (in a framework of a conventional IgG1 structure with full-length heavy chain and light chains), designeated herein as "ATTO-HuMAB-01."

Example 15.1

Analysis of Sequence Alignments Among scFv Antibody Clones

FIGS. 37A-37B depicts the amino acid and nucleotide sequences, respectively, for the full length coding region of the light chain variable domain and the heavy chain variable domain of human scFv-1. The linker sequence is shaded. The complementarity determining region (CDR) sequences are underlined.

An amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv-1 and scFv-6 is shown in FIG. **38**. The locations of the CDRs of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The result of sequence alignment revealed 217/252 (86%) Identities, 232/252 (92%) Positives, and 1/252 (0%) Gaps (Score=434 bits (1117), Expect=8e-127, Method: Compositional matrix adjust) between scFv-1 and scFv-6.

An amino acid sequence alignment of human scFv-1 and scFv-8 is shown in FIG. **39**. The locations of the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light and heavy chain variable regions are underlined and labeled as VL-CDR-1, -2, and -3, and VH-CDR-1, -2, and -3, respectively. The result of sequence alignment revealed 240/252 (95%) Identities, 247/252 (98%) Positives, and 0/252 (0%) Gaps (Score=491 bits (1264), Expect=6e-144, Method: Compositional matrix adjust) between scFv-1 and scFv-8.

CDR region comparison among scFv antibody clones (scFv-1, scFv-6, and scFv-8) is shown in FIG. **40**. As shown in FIG. **40**, these scFv clones that bind to FGFR2IIIc shared high degree of sequence homologies in the regions of light chain CDRs and heavy chain CDRs.

Thus, analysis of sequence alignments among the scFv antibody clones showed high homologies in the light chain and heavy chain including the VL-CDR or VH-CDR regions.

Example 15.2

Immunocytochemical (ICC) Staining of Transiently Transfected CHO Cells

The binding of human antibody scFv-1 to cell surface receptor FGFR2IIIc was demonstrated by immunocytochemical (ICC) staining using CHO cells that transciently express either FGFR2-IIIb or FGFR2-IIIc. Briefly, CHO cells were either mock transfected or transfected with a construct that expresses either FGFR2-IIIb or FGFR2-IIIc with a FLAG tag at the N-terminus of the extracellular domain. The expression of FGFR2-IIIb or FGFR2-IIIc on the cell surface was shown by ICC staining using an anti-FLAG antibody. FIG. 41 depicts representative images of immunocytochemical (ICC) staining. As shown in FIG. 41, purified human 20 antibody scFv-1 (sol) specifically stained the FGFR2-IIIcexpressing CHO cells, but not the FGFR2—IIIb-expressing CHO cells.

Example 15.3

Fluorescence-Activated Cell Sorting (FACS) Analysis of dcFv-01 Binding to CHO Cells Stably Expressing Surface Receptor FGFR2-IIIc

The human antibody clone scFv-1 was constructed as a double-chain antibody by fusion of the scFv-1 fragment to the N-terminus of human IgG1 Fc. The resulting antibody was named dcFv-01. The binding activity of dcFv-01 to the cells that express surface receptor FGFR2-IIIc was examined by 35 flow cytometry. Representative staining pattern data are shown in FIG. 42. As shown in FIG. 42, dcFv-01 stained positively the CHO cells that stably express full-length FGFR2-IIIc receptor (center panel). Positive staining was also observed when an anti-FGFR2 antibody (R&D Systems) 40 was used as a positive control (left panel). Further experiment demonstrated that dcFv-01 did not stain FGFR2-IIIb-expressing cells.

Example 15.4

Immunocytochemical (ICC) Staining of Rat Prostate Cancer Cell Line AT3B-1 Using dcFv-01

The binding of Fc-fusion antibody, dcFv-01, to a rat prostate cancer line AT3B-1 was examined by ICC staining. AT3B-1 cells were stained either with human IgG (negative control) or with dcFv-01. FIG. 43 depicts representative images of immunocytochemical (ICC) staining. As shown in FIG. 43, dcFv-01 bound to AT3B-1 cells (right panel), while 55 number NM_001144916.1) and FGFR2-IIIb (accession human IgG did not stain AT3B-1 cells (center panel).

Example 15.5

Fluorescence-Activated Cell Sorting (FACS) Analysis of dcFv-01 Binding to Rat Prostate Cell Line AT3B-1

The binding activity of dcFv-01 to rat prostate cell line AT3B-1 was examined by flow cytometry. Representative 65 staining pattern data are shown in FIG. 44. As shown in FIG. 44, dcFv-01 showed 23% positive staining of the AT3B-1 cell

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population. In contrast, negative control (no primary antibody) and irrelevant control (human IgG-1) stained 11% and 12% of the AT3B-1 cell population, respectively.

Example 16

Cloning and Analysis of Human Antibody ATTO-HuMAb-01 that Selectively Binds to IIIc Isoform of FGFR2

FGFR2 is a member of the FGR receptor-tyrosine kinase family consisting of four receptors that bind at least different eighteen FGF ligands. In addition to critical homeostatic functions such as cell survival, proliferation, migration and differentiation that occur during development as well as throughout adult life, mutations or alterations in expression of several FGFs and their receptors have been implicated in a large number of cancers; prostate, ovarian, breast, gastric, bladder, pancreatic, endometrial and lung. Mechanisms of FGF-mediated dysregulated cell growth include stimulation of angiogenesis, direct stimulation of tumor growth and promotion of tumor metastasis.

Similar to other FGFRs, FGFR2 binds a subset of FGF ligands with high affinity and consists of an extracellular 25 region comprised of two or three immunoglobulin-like (Ig) domains, a single transmembrane region and an intracellular kinase domain. The second half of the third Ig domain is variably spliced to generate two isoforms, IIIb or IIIc, with altered ligand specificity. The IIIb isoform of FGFR2 (FGFR2IIIb) is expressed predominantly on epithelial cells and binds with high affinity to FGF1, FGF3, FGF7, FGF10, FGF21 and FGF22. In contrast, the FGFR2IIIc isoform is expressed mostly on mesenchymal cells and binds FGF1, FGF2, FGF4, FGF8, FGF21 and FGF23 (Nature Reviews Turner N and Grose R 2010). An isoform switch from FGFR2IIIb to IIIc has been shown to associate with an epithelial to mesenchymal transition (EMT), which increases cell migration and invasion and facilitates metastasis in epithelial carcinomas such as prostate cancer and bladder cancer.

There is a high degree of sequence conservation (100% conserved between mouse, rat and human) in the region encoded by the IIIc exon, which has led to technical challenges in the development of an isoform specific antibody. The present example describes the isolation and characterization of a high affinity, specific human antibody that binds to human FGFR2IIIc.

Example 16.1

Materials and Methods

Cloning and Expression of Human FGFR2-IIIb and FGFR2-IIIc

Human gene sequences encoding FGFR2-IIIc (accession number NM 001144919.1) were used as PCR templates for subcloning FGFR2-isoform specific expression constructs for this study.

For the FGFR2-IIIc construct, MT-128aa was expressed as 60 a GST-fusion protein by subcloning a DNA region encoding amino acids 135-262, from the third extracellular Ig-like loop, of FGFR2IIIc (accession number AAH39243) into pGEX-4T1 at the BamHI and EcoRI restriction sites. To enhance immunogenicity in mice, the MT-tag was inserted. The MT-tag (DQVHFQPLPPAVVKLSDAL(SEQ ID NO:194)) is a universal T-cell epitope from Mycobacteria tuberculosis antigen and has been shown to enhance immu-

nogenicity of highly conserved protein sequences (Zhou H, Wang Y, Wang W, Jia J, Li Y, et al. (2009) Generation of Monoclonal Antibodies against Highly Conserved Antigens. PLoS ONE 4(6): e6087. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0006087). Nucleotide and amino acid sequences are provided in Table 3 below

The mouse Fc fusion protein was constructed with the same fragment of 128aa described above, which was sub-

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a pcDNA3 expression vector was used with a Flag-tag at the N-terminus. Either full length coding sequences ortruncated versions lacking the intracellular tyrosine kinase domain of FGFR2-IIIc (NM_001144916.1) and FGFR2-IIIb (NM_01144919.1) were subcloned downstream of the Flag-tag into pcDNA3vector at the HindIII and Xba I sites. Nucleotide and amino acid sequences are provided in Table 3 below.

TABLE 3

	TABL	E 3	
and expres	sion of hum	an FGFR2-II	Ib and FGFR2-IIIc
Nucleotide	sequence		Amino acid sequence
GCCGGACTGC GTCGGAGGAG GTGGATCAAGC AAATACGGGC AAGGTTCTCA ACGGACAAAG CGGAATGTAA FATACGTGCT ATATCCTTTC CTGCAGCGC GACAGGTTCCC GACAGGTTCCC GACAGGTTCCC GACAGGTTCCC GCGGATTCCCC GACAGGTTCCC	CGGCAAATGC ACGTAGAGTT ATGCCCAGC ACGTGGAAAA CCGACGGCCT AGGCCGCCGG AGATTGAGGA TTGACGGAAAA ACTCTGCATG ACGACTACCT ACTTCCAGCC AACTGCTCAA	CTCCACAGTG TGTCTGCAAG CCACATCCAG GAACGGCAGT GCCCTACCTC TGTTAACACC TCTCTATATT CGCTGGGGAA TTCTATTGGG GTTGACAGTT AAAGGAGATT GGAGATCGAT GCTGCCCCC	GGDVEFVCKVYSDAQPHIQWI KHVEKNGSKYGPDGLPYLKVL KAAGVNTTDKEIEVLYIRNVT
GCCGGACTGC GTCGGAGGAG GTCGGAGGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGATGTAAAGACAGAAAGAGACAGAAAGAGCAGAAAGAGCAGAAAGAGCAGAAAGAGCAGAAAGAGCAGAAAGAGCAGAAAACAGAGCCCAATCACAGAGAAAACAGAGAAAACAGAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAGAAAACAGAGCCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAGCCAGGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAGGTGCGGTGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGACAGAGACAGAAAACAGAGCCAAGAAAACAGAGACAAAACAGAGACAAAACAGAGACCAAGAACAGAGCCAAGAACAGAGACAAAACAGAGACAAAACAGAAAACAGAACAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAGACAAAACAGAGACAAAACAGAACAGAACAGAACAGAACAGAACAGAAAACAGAAACAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAAAACAGAAAAACAGAAAAACAGAAAAAA	CGGCAAATGC ACGTAGAGTT ATGCCCAGC ACGTGGAAAA CCGACGGGCT AGGCCGCCGG AGATTGAGGT CTTTTGAGGT TGGCAGAGAAA ACTCTGCATG CCGACAGCACC CCGACATCAC CCGACATCAC ATGTACTCAT ATGTACTCAT ATGACCCAG TCACAGCAC CCGTCTTCAT ATGACCCAG TCACAGCAC CCGTCTTCAT ATGACCCAG TCACAGCCCA TCACAGCCCA CCCACACCC CCTCTCCGGGT AGCACCAGGC CCACAGCAC CCACAGCAC CCACACCCA TCACAGCCCAT CCAAAGCCA TCACAGCCT CCAAAGCCA TCACAGCCT CCAAAGCCT CCAAAGCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCCAT CCACAGCCTA ACTCTCTCACTG ACGCCCAT TCACAGACTT TCACAGACTT TCACAGACTT TCACAGACTT ACACAGACTT ACACAGACTACACACACACACACACACACACACACACACA	CTCCACAGTG TGTCTGCAAG CCACATCCAG GCACTCCAG GAACGGCAGT GTTAACACC TCTCTATATT CGCTGGGAA TTCTATTGGG GTTGACAGTT AAAGGAGATT GAAGGAGATCT TAACCTCGAG CTTCCTCCAA GATCTCCTCAA GATCTCCAGAT GGAGAGACC TGGAGAGACC TGGAGAGACC CTGGATGAGC CTGCACAACAC CGAGAGAACC AGTAACACC CAGACACC CAGCACACC CAGCACC CACCC CACC CACCC C	PEDAGEYTCLAGNSIGISFHS AWLTVLPAPGREKEITASPDY LERSPRGFTIKPCPPCKCPAP NLEGGPSVFIFPPKIKDVLMI SLSPIVTCVVVDVSEDDPDVQ ISWFVNNVEVHTAQTQTHRED YNSTLRVVSALPIQHQDWMSG KAFACAVNNKDLPAPIERTIS KPKGSVRAPQVYVLPPPEEEM TKKQVTLTCMVTDFMPEDIYV EWTNNGKTELNYKNTEPVLDS DGSYFMYSKLRVEKKNWVERN SYSCSVVHEGLHNHHTTKSFS
	ACAGTTCTC ACAGTACAGA ACGGACAGA BAGCGATCGC BTCGGAGGAGA GACAAGA CACAGATTCCA BACAGGTTCCA BACAGGTCCA BACAGCTCA BACAGCTCA BACAGCTCCA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACAGCTCCA BACAGCTCCA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGTA BACACAGGTA BACACAGGCC BACACAGGTA BACACAGGCC BACACAGGTCC BACACAGGTCC BACACAGGTCC BACACAGGCC BACACAGGCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGGCC BACACAGCCC BACACACACCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGCCC BACACAGCCC BACACACACCC BACACACACCC BACACACACCC BACACACAC	and expression of hum Nucleotide sequence GAGGGATCGC CTCACCGGCC GCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC GTTGGAGGAG ACGTAGAGTT GTTTACAGTG ATGCCCAGCC GGGATCACC CGGCACAGGGCT AGGGTCTCAC AGGCCGGCAAATACGAGACTACCT GCAACAGACTACCT GCAGACTACC GCGGATCACC CCAGACTACC CCAGACTACC GCAGACTACC GCGGATTCTC ACTCTGCATG CTGCAGGCC CTGGAAGAGA ACATCCTTCA ACTCTCAGCC GCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC GCGGATCACC CTCACCGGCC GCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC GCGGATCACC CCGCCGACGGCT GCGATCACC CCGCCAGACTACCT GCGATCACC CCGCCAAATGC GCGGATCACC CTCACCGGCC GCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC GCGGACTACC CCGCCGACGGCT GCGATCACC CCGCCGACGGCT AAATACCGGC CCGACGGCC GCGGACTACC CCGCCCGACGGCT AAGGTTCTC AGCCCCCGACACCC GCGGACTACC CCGCCAAACACAAAAAAACACACACTACCACCACCCCACACCCCACACCCCACACCCCCACACCCC	and expression of human FGFR2-III Nucleotide sequence BAGCGATCGC CTCACCGGCC CATCCTCCAA BCCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC CTCACAGTG BTTTACAGTG ATGCCCAGC CACATCCAG BTTACAGTG ATGCCCAGC CCACATCCAG BCGATCAAGC ACGTGGAAAA GAACGGCAGT BAAATACGGGC CCGACCGG TGTTAACACC BAGGTTCTCA AGGCCCGG TGTTAACACC BAGGTTCTCA AGGCCGGT TCTCTATATT BCGAATATAA CTTTTGAGGA CGCTGGGGAA BATACCGTCT TGGCGGTAA TTCTATATT BCGAATATAC BTTCCTTCC AGTCGCATG GTTGACAGTT BTTCCCAGCGC CTGGAAGAGAAAAAGGAAGATT BTCCCAGCGC CTGGAAGAGAAAAAGGAGATT BACCAGCTTCC CAGACTACCT GGAGATCGAT BACCAGCTTCC CAGACTACCT GGAGATCGAT BACCAGCTTC ACTTCCAGCC GCTGCCGCCG BCTGTTGTTA AACTGTCTGA CGCTCTGTAA (SEQ ID NO: 195) BAGCGATCGC CTCACCGGCC CATCCTCCAA BCCCGGACTGC CGGCAAATGC CTCCACAGTG

cloned into the mouse IgGFcexpression vector pFUSE-mIgG2Ael-Fc2 (InvivoGen) at the EcoRI and BgI II restriction sites. Soluble receptors expressing the extracellular regions of FGFR2-IIIb and IIIc were expressed as human Fc fusion proteins. Human Fc-FGFR2-IIIb and hFc-FGFR2-IIIc were cloned into pFUSE-hIgG1e2-Fc2 (InvivoGen) at the EcoRI and BgI II restriction sites. For cell surface expression,

Cell Culture and Transfection

Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) and human embryonic kidney 293 (HEK293) cells were grown in RPMI 1640 medium (Hyclone), containing 10% fetal bovine serum (Hyclone), 100 U/ml penicillin and 100 μg/ml streptomycin (Gibco) at 37° C. with 5% CO₂. Transient transfections were performed using the Lipofectamine 2000 reagent (Invitrogen) according

to the manufacturer's instructions. For generation of stable cell lines, plasmid pcDNA3-Flag-FGFR2IIIc or -FGFR2IIIb were transfected into CHO cells using the Lipofectamine 2000 reagent. Forty-eight hours after transfection, cells were cultured in fresh medium containing 500 µg/ml G418 for 4 $^{\circ}$ weeks. Subsequently, cell colonies resistant to G418 were isolated and screened by FACS staining for receptor surface expression

Isolation of scFv Antibody from Phage-Displayed Library Human antibody single chain fragment (scFv) clones were isolated by screening a human scFv phage display library that was previously constructed (Y. Y. Qiao, Y. Wang, X. Chen, B. Hua, Construction of a large single-chain phage antibody library, Chin. J. Microbiol. Immunol. (2004) 24: 194-197) using LoxP-cre system-mediated recombination within a single vector as previously described (Sblattero D and Bradbury A: Exploiting recombination in single bacteria to make large phage antibody libraries. Nat. Biotechnol. (2000) 18: 75-80). In the first round of selection, Immuo-tubes (Nunc, 20 Rochester, N.Y.) were coated with mFc-128aa (IIIc) at 40 μg/ml in 0.05 mol/l carbonate buffer (pH 9.6), at 4° C. overnight. Plates were blocked with 2.5% nonfat milk. Panning was performed by incubating phage-displayed antibody library (approximately 1×10¹³ pfu, in 1% BSA/PBS) for 2 h at 25 37° C. After removing unbound phage, plates were washed with 0.05% Tween-PBS for 10 times in the first round of panning, or 20 times for the subsequent rounds. Adherent phages were eluted in acid elution buffer (0.1 M glycine, containing 0.1% BSA, pH 2.2), and immediately neutralized 30 with 2 M Tris buffer. Eluted phages were used to infect Fresh E. coli XL1-Blue, and the Helper phage VCSM13 (10¹²pfu) was then added and incubated at 30° C. overnight. Phage preparation and screening was repeated 4 times, which was carried out essentially as previously described by Goletz et al. 35 (S. Goletz, P. A. Christensen, P. Kristensen, D. Blohm, I. Tomlinson, G. Winter, U. Karsten, Selection of large diversities of antiidiotypic antibody fragments by phage display, J. Mol. Biol. 315 (2002) 1087-1097). The titer of the eluted phage and the recovery rate were determined after each pan- 40 ning.

Individual phage clones were randomly picked after the 4th round of screening and the colonies were cultured in 1 ml of SB medium and with VCSM13 helper virus for overnight at 30° C. The supernatant of phage cultures was collected for 45 ELISA binding assays.

Binding specificity of scFv clones to FGFR 2-IIIc was determined by ELISA assay in the Microtiter plates (Nunc) coated with purified hFc-FGFR2IIIc or FGFR2IIIb as antigen; ovalbumin (OA) and ferritin (Fer) as negative controls. 50 The binding of the phage clones to antigen protein was determined using HRP-labeled anti-M13 antibody (Amersham Biosciences, Piscataway, N.J.) and developed by adding OPD (o-phenylenediamine). The reaction was monitored in a Spectra Max 340 ELISA reader (Molecular Devices, 55 Sunnyville, Calif.) at 450 nm.

Positive phage clones obtained from $E.\ coli\ XL1$ -Blue were used to infect $E.\ coli\ HB2151$ (non-suppressor bacterial strain) to obtain solublescFv antibodies. After overnight induction with 1 mM IPTG at 30° C., the antibody fragments 60 were harvested from the supernatant. ELISA was performed to screen for specific binding of anti-hFGFR2IIIc scFvclones. The 96-well plates were coated with 50 μ l hFGFR2IIIc (10 μ g/ml), using hFGFR2 IIIb, OA and Fer as negative controls, and incubated with 50 μ l soluble anti-mFGFR2IIIc for 1 h at 65 37° C. Then anti-VS antibody (R961-25, Invitrogen, Carlsbad, Calif.) was added for 1 h at 37° C. The specificity bound

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antibody was determined using HRP-labeled anti-Fab antibodies (15260, Sigma) and developed by OPD.

To demonstrate these positive clones were unique clones, DNA finger-printing was analyzed on PCR amplified variable regions of scFv genes and the spectrum of restriction enzyme (Mva I) digested fragments was analyzed as previously described (Y. Y. Qiao, Y. Wang, X. Chen, B. Hua, Construction of a large single-chain phage antibody library, Chin. J. Microbiol. Immunol. (2004) 24: 194-197).

Construction of dcFv and Full-length Human Antibody, $\mbox{\sc Atto-HuMab-}01$

Phage-displayed scFv clones with binding specificity to FGFR2IIIc were used to construct bivalent antibodies (dcFv). Coding sequences of CDR light chain and heavy chain region of scFvclones in the phage plasmids were cloned into pFUSE-hIgG1e2-Fc2(IL2ss) (Invivogen) at the EcoRI and Nco I restriction sites. Full-length human antibody Atto-01 was constructed as a human IgG1 format using germ-line framework for constant regions. The Light and Heavy chain CDRs of scFv-1 clone were grafted to the framework with synthesized DNA fragments as previously described.

Immunocytochemistry

For immunocytochemistry (ICC), stable CHO cells expressing Flag-FGFR2-IIIc, Flag-FGFR2-IIIb or transiently transfected CHO or HEK293 cells were seeded onto coverslips and allowed to grow for 24 hours. The cells were fixed in 4% paraformaldehyde in PBS, pH 7.4 for 1 hour at room temperature and then endogenous peroxidase activity was blocked by incubation for 20 minutes with 1% hydrogen peroxide in PBS. Cells were blocked with 2% FBS, 3% BSA in PBS at room temperature for 2 hours, then incubated with either mouse monoclonal anti-FGFR2IIIc, 5H11, or fulllength human antibody Atto-01 (1 ug/ml) in PBS containing 3% BSA for 2 h at 37° C. After washing off unbound proteins, specific antibody binding was detected by incubation with a goat anti-human $IgG(Fc_{\gamma})$, followed by a HRP-conjugated secondary antibody (Thermo Scientific) at 37° C. for 1 hour. Positive staining was observed by using colorimetric substrate of HRP, 3,3-Diaminobenzidine (DAB). For negative controls, isotype-matched controls of mouse or human IgG were used.

Flow Cytometry

Stable CHO cells expressing Flag-FGFR-2IIIc or Flag-FGFR-2IIIb were processed to obtain single-cell suspensions. Antibody Atto-01 or isotype-matched control IgG were incubated with cells on ice for 1 h. After 3 washes in PBS containing 0.1% bovine serum albumin (BSA), cells were incubated with goat anti-human IgG (Fc-specific)-FITC (Sigma) on ice for 45 minutes. After the unbound protein was removed by washing, positive binding was analyzed using a FACS Calibur flow cytometry system (Becton Dickinson).

ELISA

ELISA assay format was used for routine screening of monoclonal antibody binding and for determining the antibody affinity constant. Proteins of MT-128aa, mFc-128aa, hFc-FGFR2IIIb, or hFc-FGFR2IIIc were coated onto microtiter plates. Affinity constant (K_{aff}) of the antibody was determined using a modified method of Beatty et al. (J. David Beatty, Barbara G. Beatty and William G. Vlahos. Measurement of monoclonal antibody affinity by non-competitive enzyme immunoassay, Journal of Immunological Methods, 100 (1987) 173-179). Microtiter plates were coated with the soluble receptor of mFc-128aa at several concentrations (2.0 ug/ml, 1.0 ug/ml, 0.5 ug/ml and 0.25 ug/ml). Human antibody Atto-HuMab-01 was incubated with antigen-coated plates over a concentration range from 3 ug/ml to 0.001 ug/ml with two-fold dilutions. Binding of Atto-HuMab-01 to antigen was

measured with an HRP-conjugated secondary antibody, goat anti-human IgG (Thermo Scientific). The signal was measured at OD 450 nm on a microtiter plate ELISA reader (Thermo-Fisher). The affinity constant was determined according to the formula $K_{aff}=(n-1)/2(n[Ab']-[Ab])$ (J. 5 David Beatty, Barbara G. Beatty and William G. Vlahos. Measurement of monoclonal antibody affinity by non-competitive enzyme immunoassay, Journal of Immunological Methods, 100 (1987) 173-179).

Cell-Based Binding Assay

Affinity constant ($K_{\it aff}$) of the antibody binding to cell receptor FGFR2IIIc was analyzed using CHO-FGFR2-IIIc stable cell lines. Cells were seeded in 96-well plates with different densities (16,000, 8,000, 4,000, 2000 per well), and incubated with different concentrations of human antibody Atto-01. The $K_{\it aff}$ of Atto-HuMab-01 binding to CHO-FGFR2-IIIc cells was calculated using the same formula as above.

Antibody Neutralization Assay

ELISA plates were coated with FGF8b at 1 ug/ml at 4 C over night. Plates were blocked with binding buffer containing 2% BSA in PBS, 1 hr at room temperature. dcFv antibody was pre-mixed in a concentration range from 0.04-30 ug/ml by 3 fold dilutions in binding buffer with FGFR2IIIc (1 ug/ml), incubate for 1 hr at room temperature. Pre-incubated mixture was added to the duplicate wells coated with ligand, incubate 1 hr at room temperature. Plates were washed 3 times with PBS containing 0.05% tween-20. HRP conjugated goat anti human was added, 1 hr at room temperature. Plates were washed 4 times with PBST. Substrate was added, and plates were read at OD450 on a plate reader.

Example 16.2

Isolation of FGFRIIIc Isotype-Specific Antibodies From Phage Displayed Library

A phage-displayed human scFv library was used as a source to isolate specific scFv antibodies to FGFGR2IIIc receptor. After four rounds of panning of the library against the "bait" FGFR2IIIc ligand binding domain (loop-IIIc) mFc-128aa, the enriched pool was subtracted by FGFR2IIIb (Fcfusion of the whole extracellular domain) coated plates. Twenty eight clones were picked and analyzed by DNA finger-print to identify unique clones Non-redundant clones were analyzed in ELISA binding assays using the target receptor FGFR2IIIc, FGFR2IIIb, as well as several negative 45 controls of irrelevant protein baits including Ferretine, Ovalbumin, BSA (data not shown for negative controls of irrelevant proteins). An exemplary flow chart of the isolation of FGFRIIIc isotype-specific antibodies is depicted in FIG. 45. An exemplary summary table of library panning results is 50 depicted in FIG. 46.

Shown in FIG. 47 are representative binding data from eight independent clones to FGFR2 receptor isoform b and c (Fc-fusion of whole extracellular domain) coated on ELISA plates. Among these clones, clone #1, 2, 6, 7 and 8, as phage-displayed antibody (FIG. 47A) and/or as secreted soluble form (FIG. 47B), exhibited isoform selective binding to the receptor FGFR2IIIc (extracellular domain).

To demonstrate that the phage-derived antibodies can bind to the cell receptor FGFR2IIIc with isoform selectivity, a cell-based assay based on immunocytochemical (ICC) staining technique was employed for characterization of both phage-displayed and soluble form scFv clones. Transient CHO cells expressing either FGFR2IIIb or FGFR2IIIc receptor were used for the binding assay. Parental CHO cells were included as negative controls for each antibody.

Summarized in FIG. 48, among those positive clones recognizing soluble receptor FGFR2IIIc, only clone #1 and #8

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exhibited isoform specific binding in cell-based assay. Whereas clone #2 showed non-selective binding to FGFR2IIIb isoform receptor, even though clone #2 showed superior binding activity and specificity to FGFR2IIIc in soluble receptor ELISA assays.

Example 16.3

Characterization of the Selected scFv Antibodies

After DNA sequencing, we found that these FGFR2IIIc-specific clones, #1, 6, 8 share high degree of sequence homology (FIG. 49). Two clones, 1 and 8, were identical except mutations in the light chain complementary-determining region (CDR) LC-CDR1 and LC-CDR2. Clone 6 and 8 share sequence homologies in LC-CDR1, and LC-CDR2, but have mutations in other CRD regions. These data indicate that these clones are independent and unique clones.

For the purpose of increasing antibody avidity/affinity for clones 1, 2 and 8, each was constructed to form a bivalent antibody (dcFv) by making a fusion construct to human IgGFc. Characterization of these bivalent antibodies in the cell-based assay ICC was summarized in FIG. 48. Clone dcFv-1 and -8 remained isoform-selectivity to FGFR2IIIc expressing CHO cells. Furthermore, both clone 1 and 8 can block ligand FGF2 binding to the receptor (FGFR2IIIc-Fc) in a concentration dependent manner (FIG. 47C). Affinity binding measurements showed that clone dcFv-1 has higher binding affinity than clone dcFv-8 (data not shown). Clone #1 was used to engineer a full length human IgG molecule, Atto-01, and further pursued for biological activities.

Full length antibody Atto-01 was expressed in large scale transient expression in human cell line system HEK293 and purified by affinity chromatography and other columns including ionic exchange and sizing column. FIG. **50**A shows SDS-PAGE of purified Atto-HuMab-01. Shown in FIG. **50**B, the full length human antibody construct Atto-HuMab-01 retained binding activity to the receptor loop-III domain.

Next, we investigated whether these phage-derived antibodies can block the ligand-receptor interaction by binding to the ligand binding domain of the target receptor. A competition assay was performed using FGF2 ligand coated ELISA plates. Human antibody clones, either as single chain antibody form scFv or as double chain antibody form dcFv, were pre-incubated with the receptor FGFR2IIIc-Fc. Finally, the binding of receptor FGFR2IIIc-Fc to ligand was measured by using a secondary antibody goat-anti-human HRP-conjugate as in the ELISA method. Shown in FIG. 47C, dcFv-1 and 8 bivalent antibodies showed concentration-dependent neutralizing activity for ligand binding with IC50 in the 0.1-0.2 nM range. A negative control, human IgG protein used at the same concentration gradient did not show any inhibition in the same test. Clone-1 and 8 also demonstrated specific ligandbinding blocking activities when used as single chain antibodies, in the same assay format with IC50 in the 0.3-0.5 nM range (data not shown). Taken together, these ligand binding competition data suggest that the antibody scFv-1 or dcFv-1 binds to FGFR2IIIc receptor in the ligand-interaction domain.

Example 16.3

Fully Human Antibody Atto-HuMab-01 Binds Specifically to FGFR2IIIc Positive Cells

To evaluate the feasibility of the phage derived antibody anti-FGFR2IIIc as a therapeutic candidate, a fully human antibody, Atto-HuMab-01, in the form of human IgG 1 was constructed by graphing the coding regions of light chain CDR1, 2, 3 and heavy chain CDR1, 2, 3 from scFv clone 1 to

the germ line IgG framework by antibody engineering. Antibody Atto-HuMab-01 was produced in HEK293 cells and purified by protein A column, followed by a sizing column (FIG. 50A). The activity of Atto-HuMab-01 was tested in ELISA and cell-based assays. Atto-HuMab-01 showed consistent binding specificity towards FGFR2IIIc isoform, without cross-reactivity to FGFR2IIIb as tested by ELISA using soluble receptor FGFR2IIIc Fc-fusion (FIG. 50B), by ICC cell staining (FIG. 51A), and by FACS analysis (FIG. 51B).

Example 16.4

Atto-01 Affinity Determination

The binding affinity of Atto-HuMab-01 antibody was measured by ELISA using soluble receptor coated ELISA plates

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(FIG. **52**A), and using a cell-based assay (FIG. **52**B). In FIG. **52**A, three different concentrations of antigen mFc-IIIc (128aa) were used for testing the antibody Atto-HuMab-01 in a dilution curve from 3 ug/ml to 0.001 ug/ml and for binding constant KD calculations as described in the Materials and Methods. The resulted binding affinity was in the range of 0.37 nM to 0.01 nM, with an average value KD=0.04 nM.

Atto-HuMab-01 showed similar binding affinity to membrane-bound receptors in a cell-based binding experiment. As demonstrated in FIG. **52**B, Atto-HuMab-01binds to CHO expressed FGFR2-IIIc with an affinity constant KD 0.7 nM.

As shown in FIG. **52**C, Atto-HuMab-01 binds to with varying affinity to a subset of FGF receptors.

TABLE 4

Summary of Atto	-MuMab-02, Atto-	HuMab-01, Atto-Hu Sequences	ıMab-06, and Atto-HuMab-08
Antibody Designation	FIG(S).	SEQ ID NO	Description
Atto-MuMab-02	35	98	VL-CDR-1 amino acid sequenc
	35	100	VL-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
	35	102	VL-CDR-3 amino acid sequence
	34B	97	VL-CDR-1 nucleotide sequence
	34B	99	VL-CDR-2 nucleotide sequence
	34B	101	VL-CDR-3 nucleotide sequence
	35	92	VH-CDR-1 amino acid sequence
	35	94	VH-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
	35	96	VH-CDR-3 amino acid sequence
	34A	91	VH-CDR-1 nucleotide sequenc
	34A	93	VH-CDR-2 nucleotide sequence
	34A	95	VH-CDR-3 nucleotide sequenc
	35	90	VL amino acid sequence
	34B	89	
			VL nucleotide sequence
	35	88	VH amino acid sequence
	34A	87	VH nucleotide sequence
Atto-HuMab-01	37A, 38, 39, 40	144	VL-CDR-1 amino acid sequence
	37A, 38, 39, 40	145	VL-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
	37A, 38, 39, 40	146	VL-CDR-3 amino acid sequence
	37B	172	VL-CDR-1 nucleotide sequenc
	37B	173	VL-CDR-2 nucleotide sequenc
	37B	174	VL-CDR-3 nucleotide sequenc
	37A, 38, 39, 40	147	VH-CDR-1 amino acid sequen
	37A, 38, 39, 40	148	VH-CDR-2 amino acid sequen-
	37A, 38, 39, 40	149	VH-CDR-3 amino acid sequen-
	37B	175	VH-CDR-1 nucleotide sequence
	37B	176	VH-CDR-2 nucleotide sequence
	37B	177	VH-CDR-3 nucleotide sequence
	37A, 38, 39, 40	residues 1-111 of SEQ	VL amino acid sequence
		ID NO: 190	
	37B	residues 1-333	VL nucleotide sequence
		of SEQ	
		ID NO: 191	
	37A, 38, 39, 40	residues 133-252	VH amino acid sequence
		of SEQ	
		ID NO: 190	
	37B	residues 397-756 of SEQ	VH nucleotide sequence
		ID NO: 191	
	37A, 38, 39	190	scFv amino acid sequence
	37B	191	scFv nucleotide sequence
Atto-HuMab-06	28, 30D, 38, 40	155	VL-CDR-1 amino acid sequence
	28, 30D, 38, 40	156	VL-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
	28, 30D, 38, 40	157	VL-CDR-3 amino acid sequeno
	30C	178	VL-CDR-1 nucleotide sequenc
	30C	179	VL-CDR-2 nucleotide sequenc
	30C	180	VL-CDR-3 nucleotide sequenc
	28, 30F, 38, 40	147	VH-CDR-1 amino acid sequen
	28, 30F, 38, 40	158	VH-CDR-2 amino acid sequent
	28, 30F, 38, 40	159	VH-CDR-3 amino acid sequen
	30E	181	VH-CDR-1 nucleotide sequenc
	30E	182	VH-CDR-2 nucleotide sequence
	30E	183	VH-CDR-3 nucleotide sequence
	28, 30B, 30D,	168	VL amino acid sequence

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TABLE 4-continued

Summary of Atto	-MuMab-02, Atto-H	[uMab-01, Atto-F Sequences	IuMab-06, and Atto-HuMab-08
Antibody Designation	FIG(S).	SEQ ID NO	Description
	30C	169	VL nucleotide sequence
	28, 30B, 30F, 38	170	VH amino acid sequence
	30E	171	VH nucleotide sequence
	28, 30B, 38	160	scFv amino acid sequence
	30A	167	scFv nucleotide sequence
Atto-HuMab-08	28, 29D, 39, 40	155	VL-CDR-1 amino acid sequence
	28, 29D, 39, 40	156	VL-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
	28, 29D, 39, 40	146	VL-CDR-3 amino acid sequence
	29C	184	VL-CDR-1 nucleotide sequence
	29C	185	VL-CDR-2 nucleotide sequence
	29C	186	VL-CDR-3 nucleotide sequence
	28, 29F, 39, 40	147	VH-CDR-1 amino acid sequence
	28, 29F, 39, 40	148	VH-CDR-2 amino acid sequence
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INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

All publications, patents, and Accession numbers mentioned herein are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety as if each individual publication or patent was specifically and individually indicated to be incorporated by reference.

EQUIVALENTS

While specific embodiments of the subject invention have been discussed, the above specification is illustrative and not restrictive. Many variations of the invention will become apparent to those skilled in the art upon review of this specification and the claims below. The full scope of the invention should be determined by reference to the claims, along with their full scope of equivalents, and the specification, along with such variations.

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We claim:

- 1. An antibody molecule that binds to human fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 (FGFR2) isoform IIIc or a fragment of FGFR2, said antibody molecule comprising all six complementarity determining regions (CDRs) of the light chain variable region and the heavy chain variable region of Atto-HuMab-01, wherein said CDRs of the light chain variable region comprise the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:144, SEQ ID NO:145, and SEQ ID NO:146, and said CDRs of the heavy chain variable region comprise the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:147, SEQ ID NO:148, and SEQ ID NO:149.
- **2**. The antibody molecule of claim **1**, having one or more ⁴⁰ biological properties chosen from one, two, three, four, five, six, or seven of:
 - (i) the antibody molecule competes for binding with human monoclonal antibody Atto-HuMab-01, wherein said human monoclonal antibody Atto-HuMab-01 comprises the amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable region and the light chain variable region of SEQ ID NO: 190;
 - (ii) binds to at least one amino acid residue of 314-353 of FGFR2 IIIc (AAGVNTTDKEIENLYIRNVIFED-AGEYTCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO:84)); or at least one amino acid residue of TCLAGNSIGISFH (SEQ ID NO:86) of human FGFR2-IIIc:
 - (iii) binds to recombinant, synthetic or native human FGFR2-IIIc:
 - (iv) shows the same binding selectivity to human FGFR2IIIc as said human monoclonal antibody Atto-HuMab-
 - (v) shows the same binding affinity to human FGFR2-IIIc as said human monoclonal antibody Atto-HuMab-01:
 - (vi) shows the same binding kinetics as said human monoclonal antibody Atto-HuMab-01; or
 - (vii) shows less than 10% cross-reactivity with an amino acid sequence of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb selected from the group consisting of about amino acids 314 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (HSGINSSNAEV-LALFNVTEADAGEYICKVSNYIGQANQ; SEQ ID

- NO: 56); about amino acids 314 to 328 of human FGFR2 isoform Mb (HSGINSSNAEVLALF; SEQ ID NO: 57); and about amino acids 340 to 351 of human FGFR2 isoform IIIb (CKVSNYIGQANQ; SEQ ID NO: 58).
- 3. A pharmaceutical composition comprising the antibody molecule of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, excipient or stabilizer.
- 4. The antibody molecule of claim 1, comprising the amino acid sequence of the light chain variable region of SEQ ID NO:190, or an amino acid sequence at least 85% identical thereto.
- 5. The antibody molecule of claim 1, comprising the amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable region of SEQ ID NO:190, or an amino acid sequence at least 85% identical thereto.
- **6**. The antibody molecule of claim **1**, comprising the amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable region and the light chain variable region of SEQ ID NO:190.
- 7. The antibody molecule of claim 1, comprising the light chain variable region encoded by the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:191, or a nucleotide sequence at least 85% identical thereto.
- **8**. The antibody molecule of claim **1**, comprising the heavy chain variable region encoded by the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:191, or a nucleotide sequence at least 85% identical thereto.
- **9**. The antibody molecule of claim **1**, comprising the heavy chain variable region and the light chain variable region encoded by the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:191.
- 10. The antibody molecule of claim 1, which comprises two heavy chains and two light chains.
- 11. The antibody molecule of claim 10, which comprises a human wild type or mutated heavy chain constant region chosen from IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, or IgG4; and a light chain chosen from kappa or lambda.
- 12. The antibody molecule of claim 1, which comprises an antigen binding fragment chosen from a Fab, a Fab', a F(ab')₂, an Fc, an Fd, an Fd', an Fv, a single chain antibody, an scFv, a single variable domain antibody, or a diabody (Dab).

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